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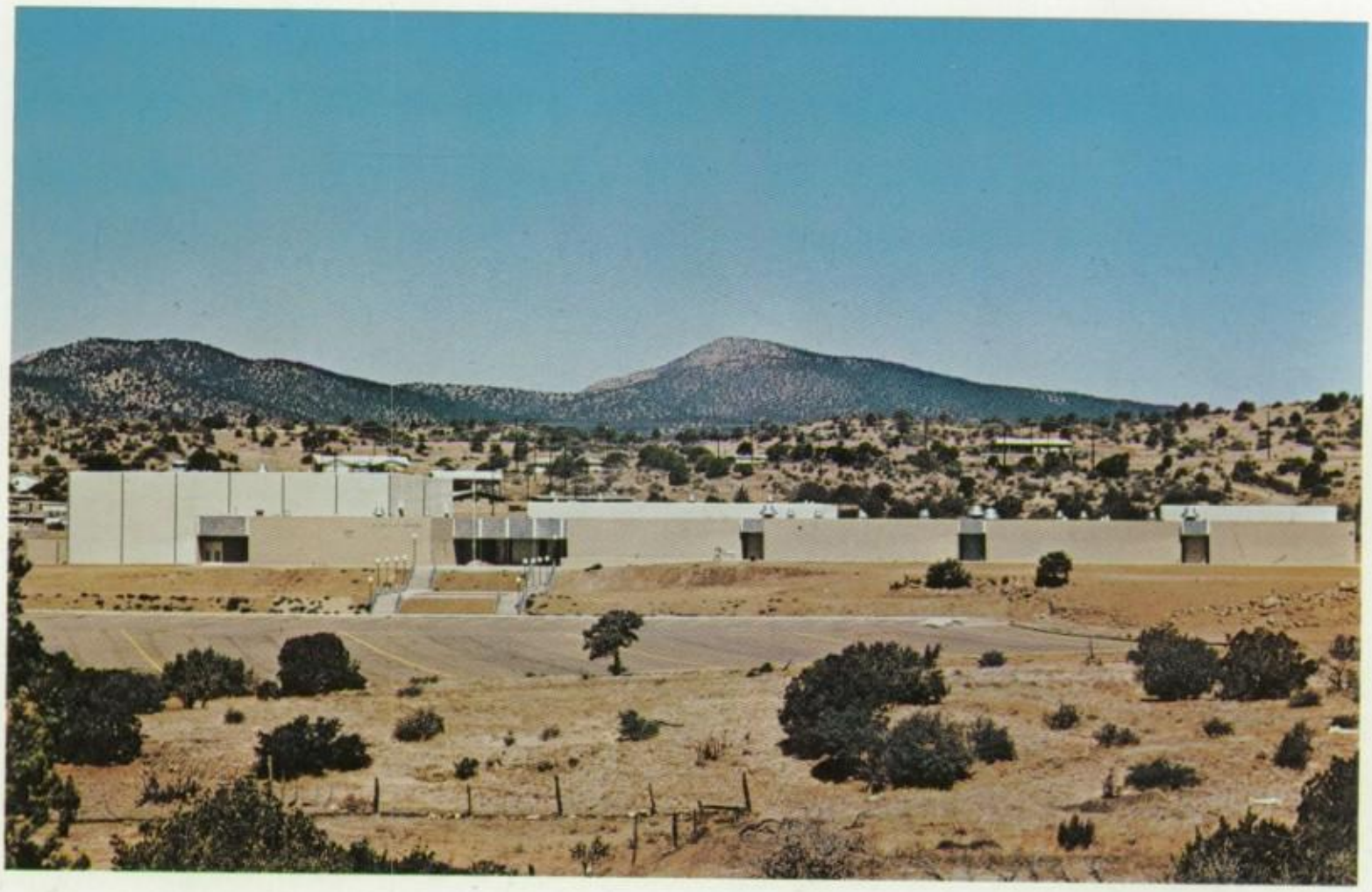
The 1969 El Potranco



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Silver City, New Mexico

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We Salute Miss Cerny

Miss Mollie Cerny

Miss Cerny gives final instructions to one of her typing classes

Since 1935 the Silver City area has been priveleged to have many fine instructors. One of these is Miss Mollie Cerny.

Since 1950 Silver High School has been fortunate to have, not only the instructing abilities of Miss Cerny, but also her helping hand in many extra curricular activities, such as the organization of the student council, sponsor of the AFS program, and her faithful participation in the sale of tickets at all athletic activities.

In addition to all of her school responsibilities and extra-curricular work, Miss Cerny has kept a continuous record of the number of students who have graduated from Silver High during her teaching years here; these she estimates to date at two thousand four hundred.

For these services we salute Miss Cerny with the 1969 El Potranco to try to repay a small portion of our great indebtedness to her.

One of Miss Cerny's numerous typing classes.

The Senior class of 1968 celebrated its last day of school.

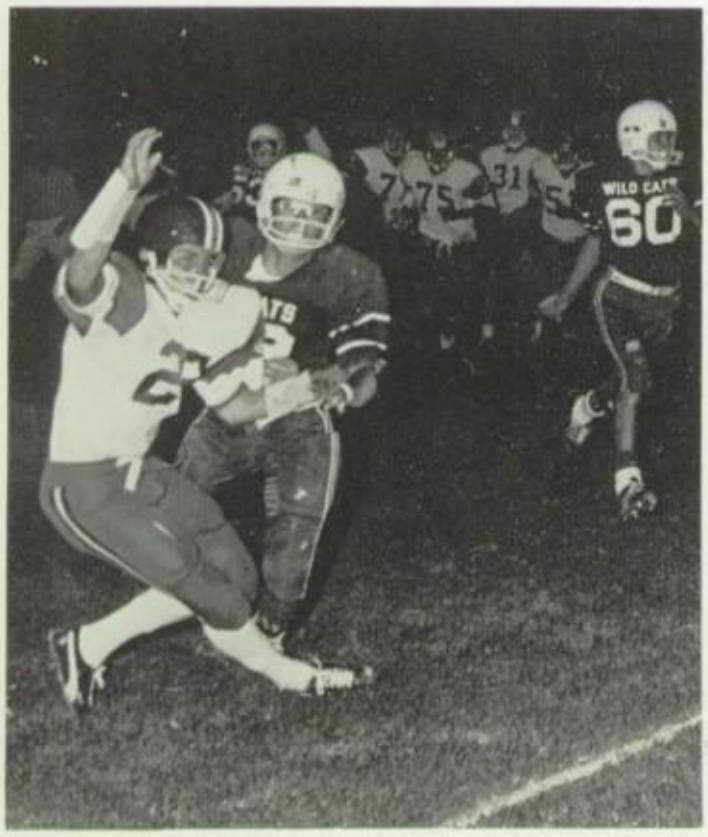
Students socialize in the commons before school.

Varsity cheerleader Kathy Gregory leads the Senior class to victory, and the spirit trophy, during the spirit contest held before the first district game between the Fighting Colts and the Deming Wildcats.

Student Life

Reflections Around the School

During registration, students stand patiently while waiting for their books.

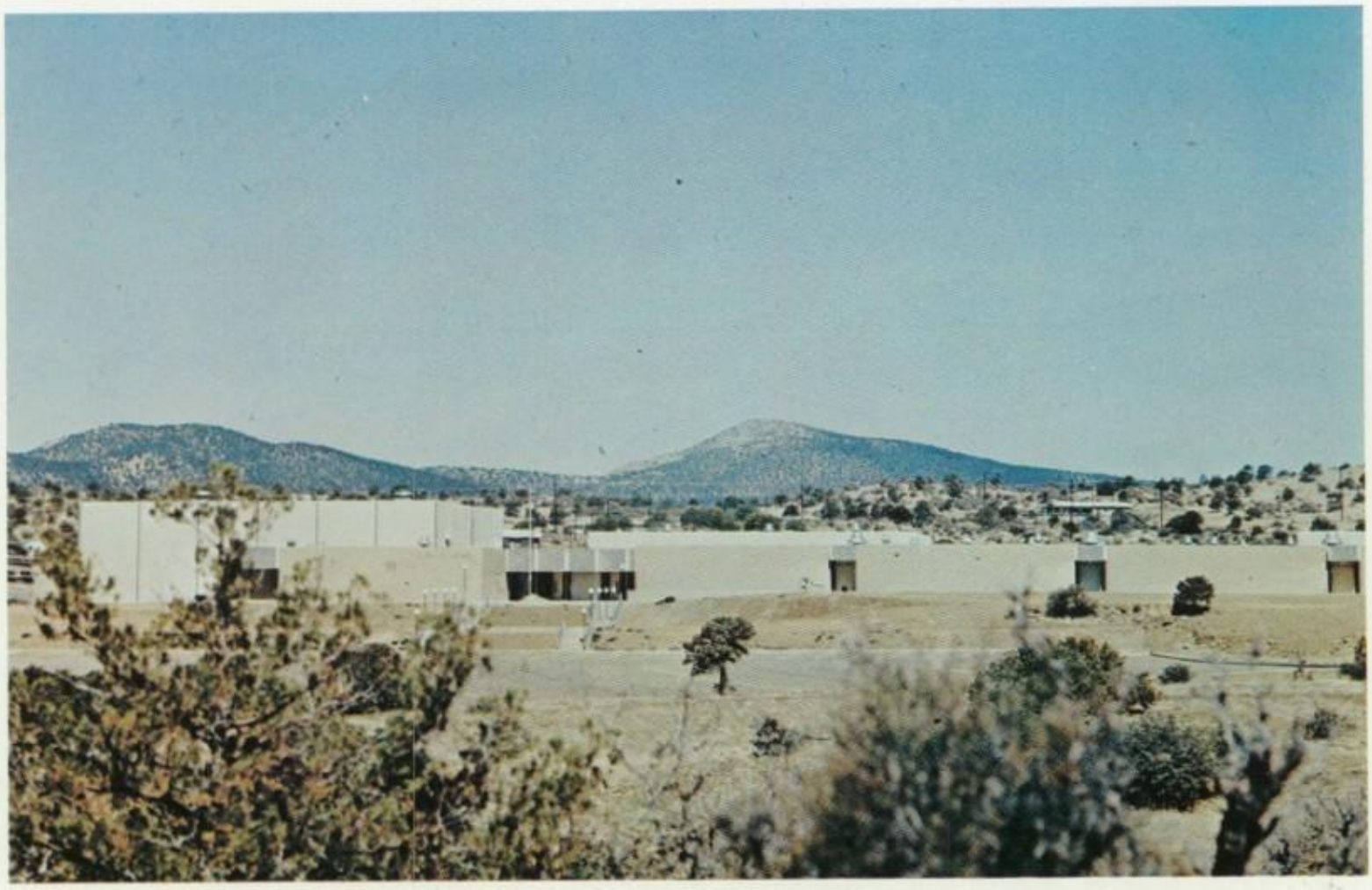


During a district football game, a Deming Wildcat is stopped by a Fighting Colt.

The last day of school for the class of 1968.

During a 6th period volly ball game, Anna Herrera takes time out to put on her shoes.

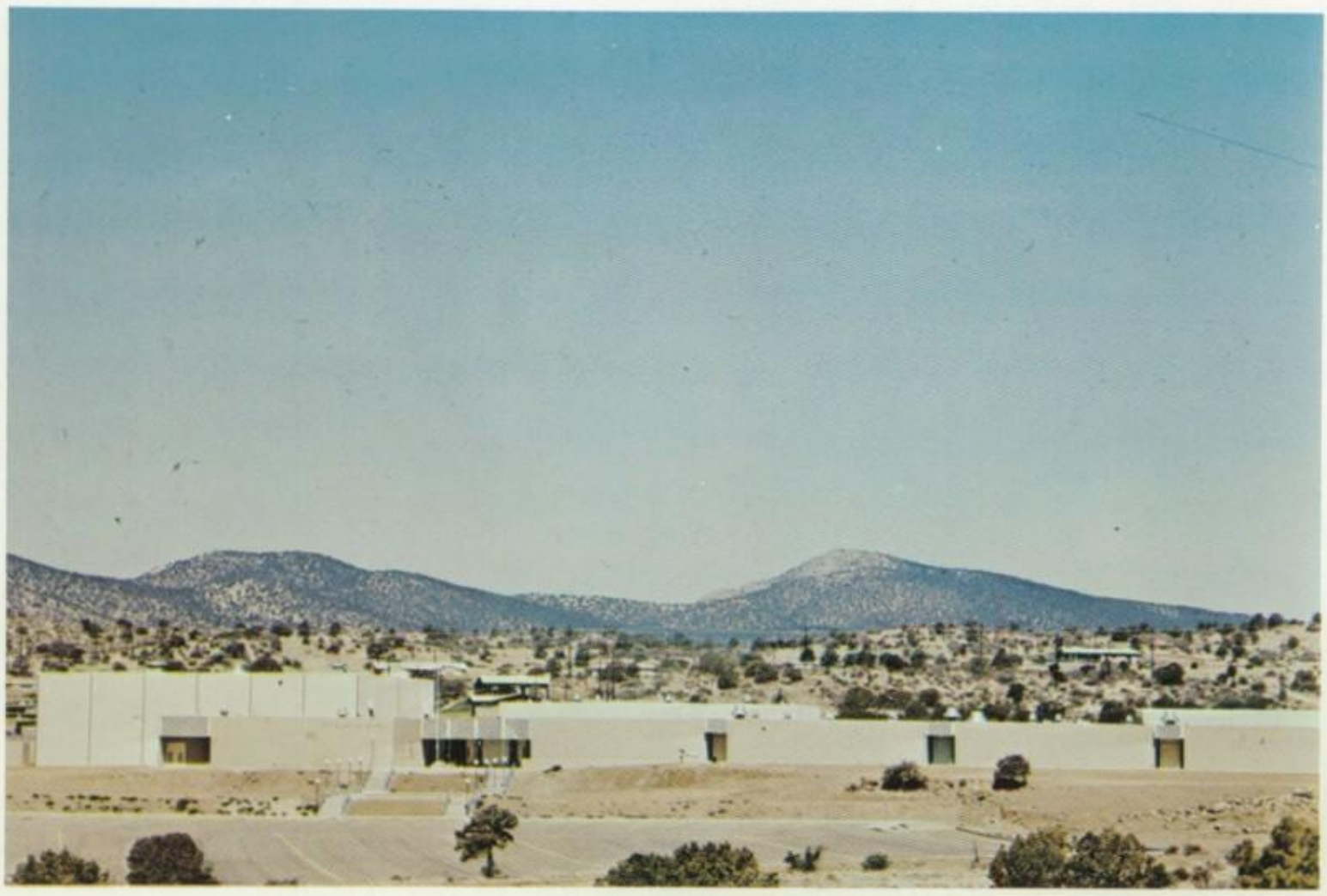
Mrs. Bearup, guidence counselor at Silver High, helps students to organize their schedules.



The student parking lot in front of Silver High School.

Mr. Garret teaches General Business to his first period class.

At 3:25 Silver High students descend the stairs to go home.



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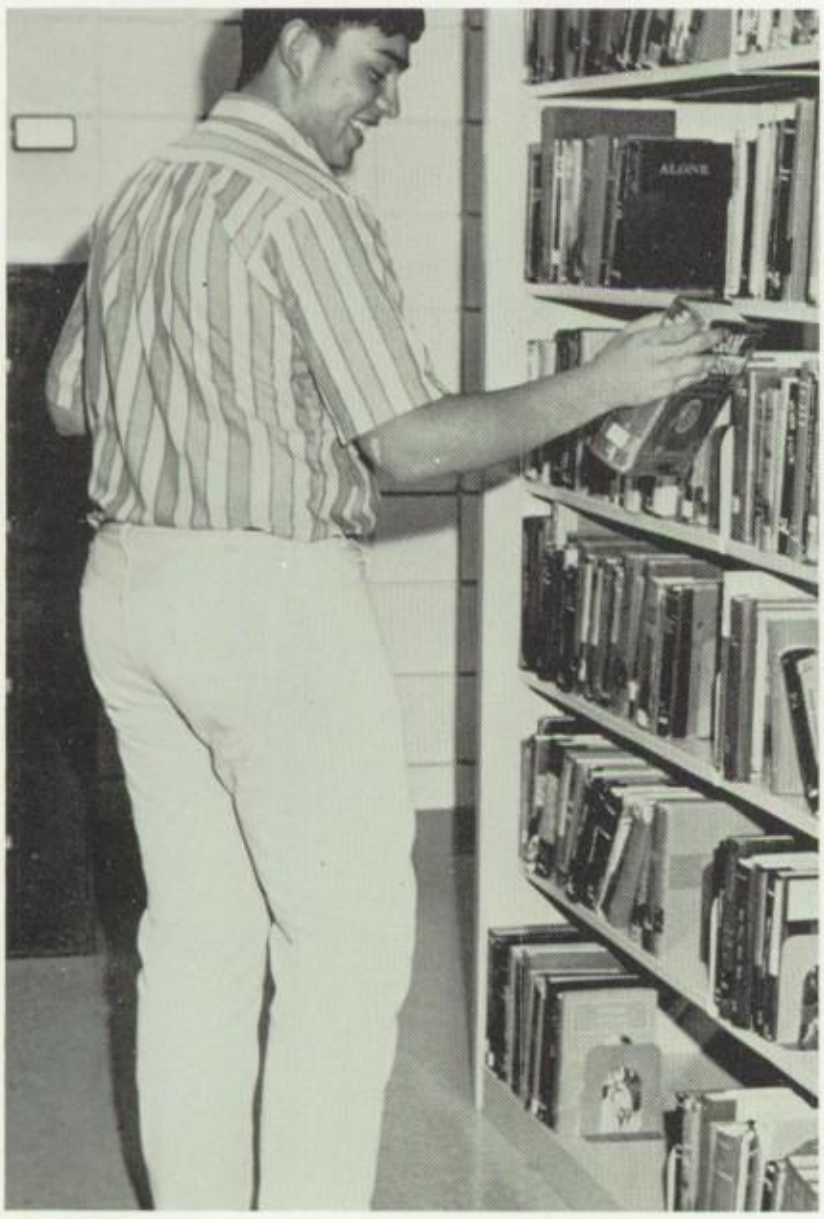
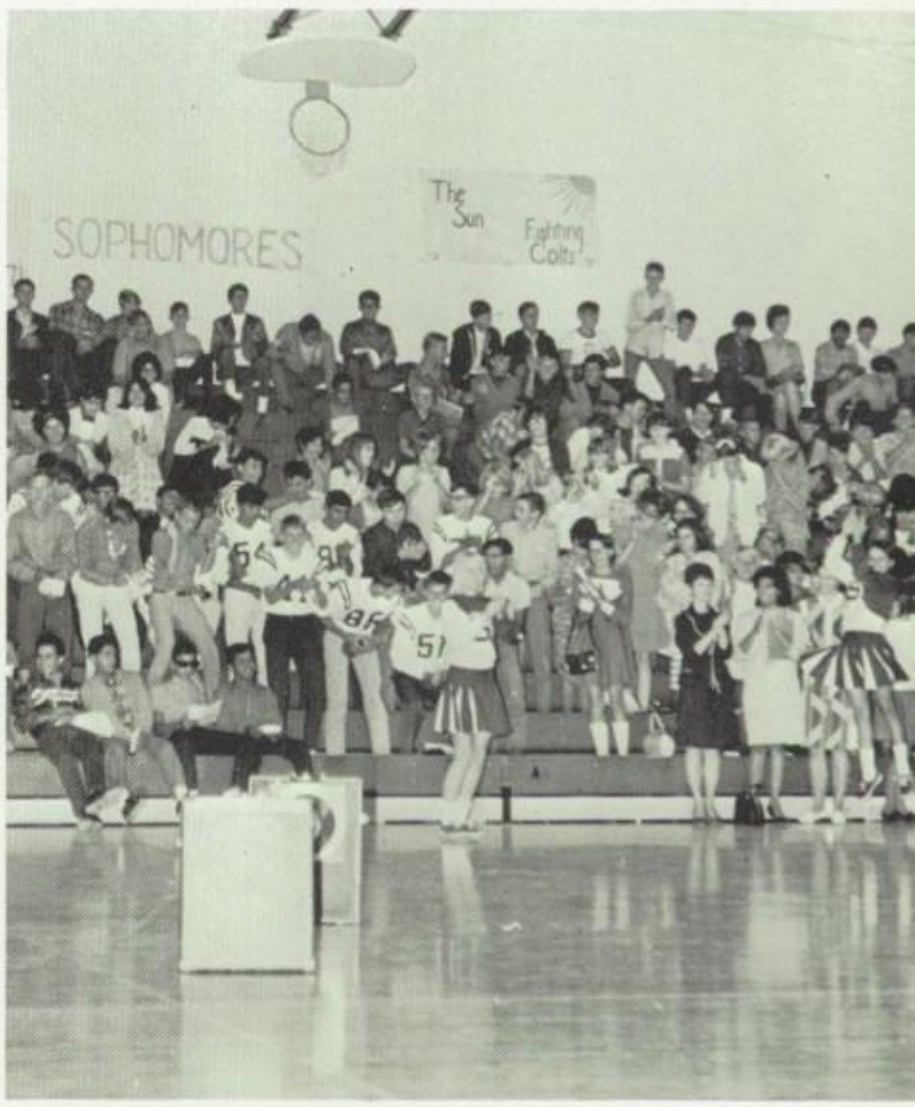


The Silver High Library has many interesting books to choose from, as Mike Grijalva demonstrates.



The Sophomore class showed great school spirit during the pep assemblies.

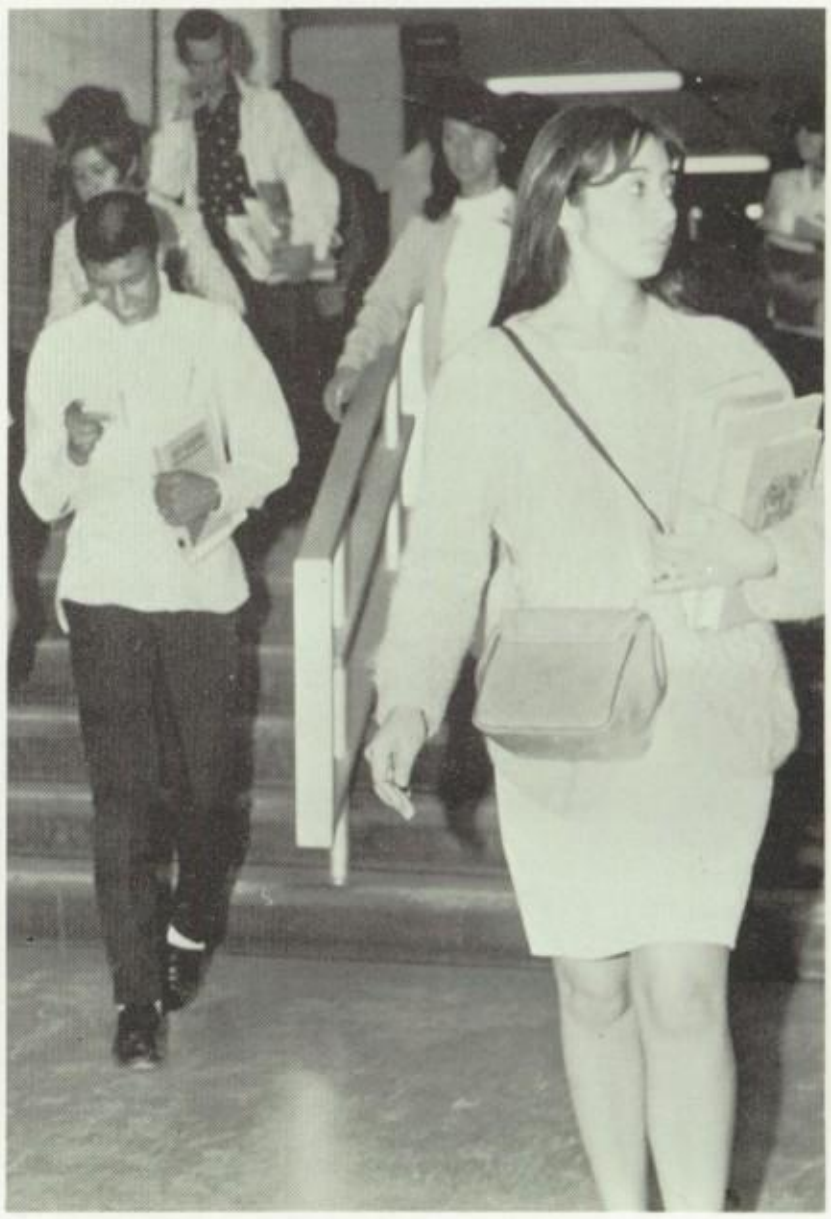
Besides academic subjects, students may apply for library science.

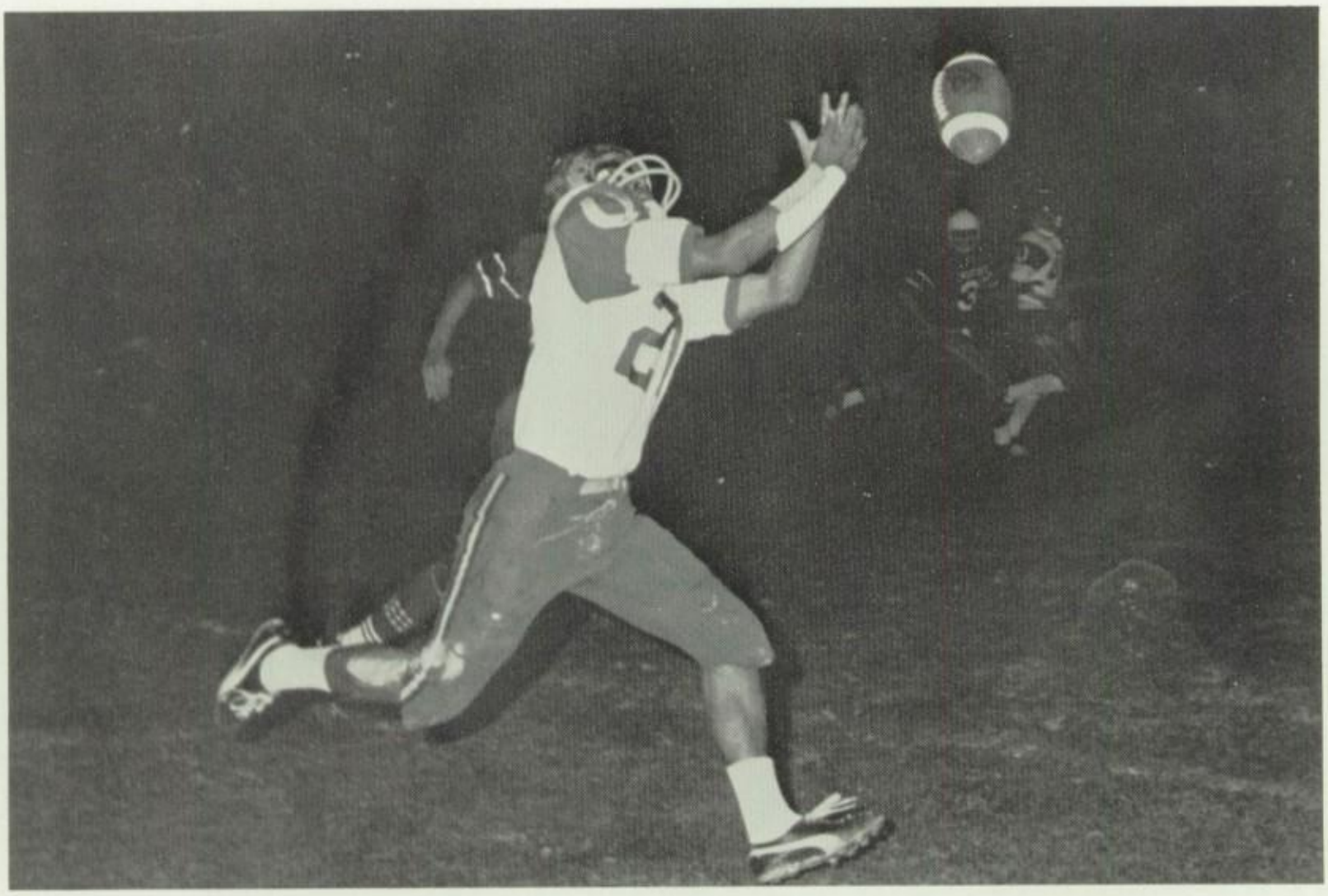
Pat McIlvenna, Terri McKee, Don Christensen, and Tim Hill discuss money matters at the barbecue.

During the Silver-Deming pep assembly, varsity cheerleader Anna Herrera leads a cheer.

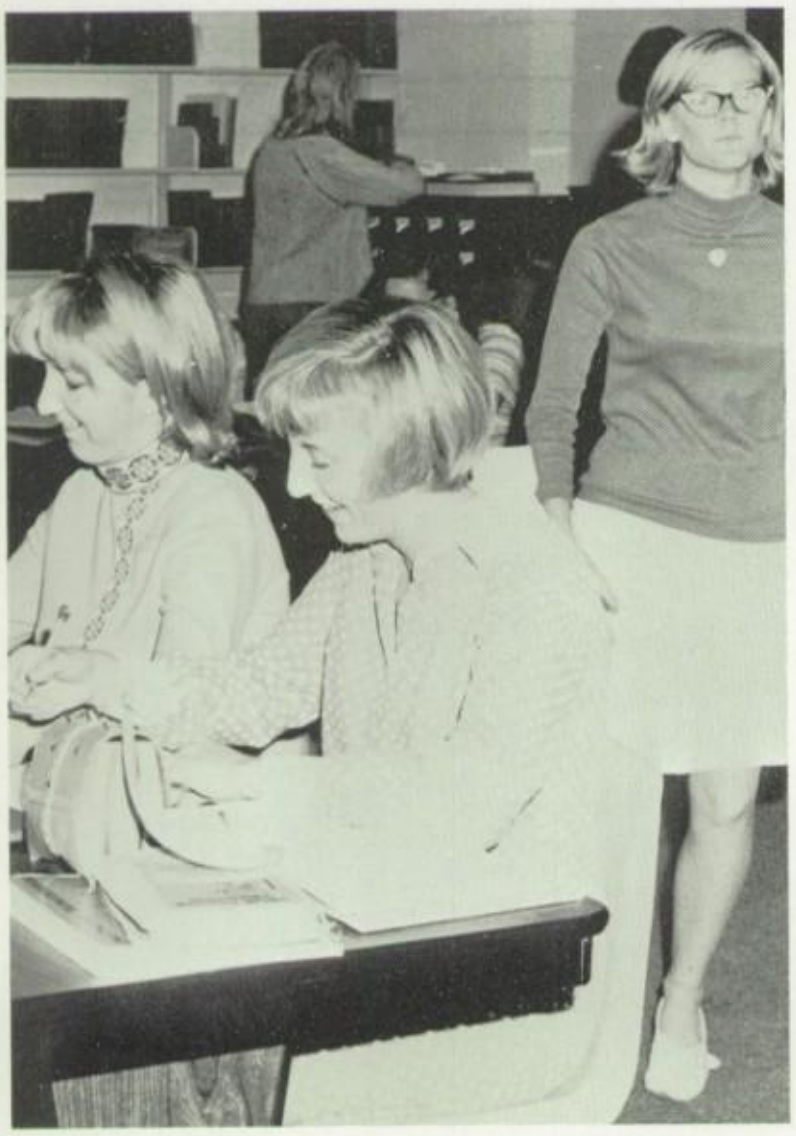
The Fighting Colt football team worked hard to get into shape for the 1968 football season.

Students leave school after a busy day.





During the Silver-Deming game, a Fighting Colt football player attempts to catch a long pass.

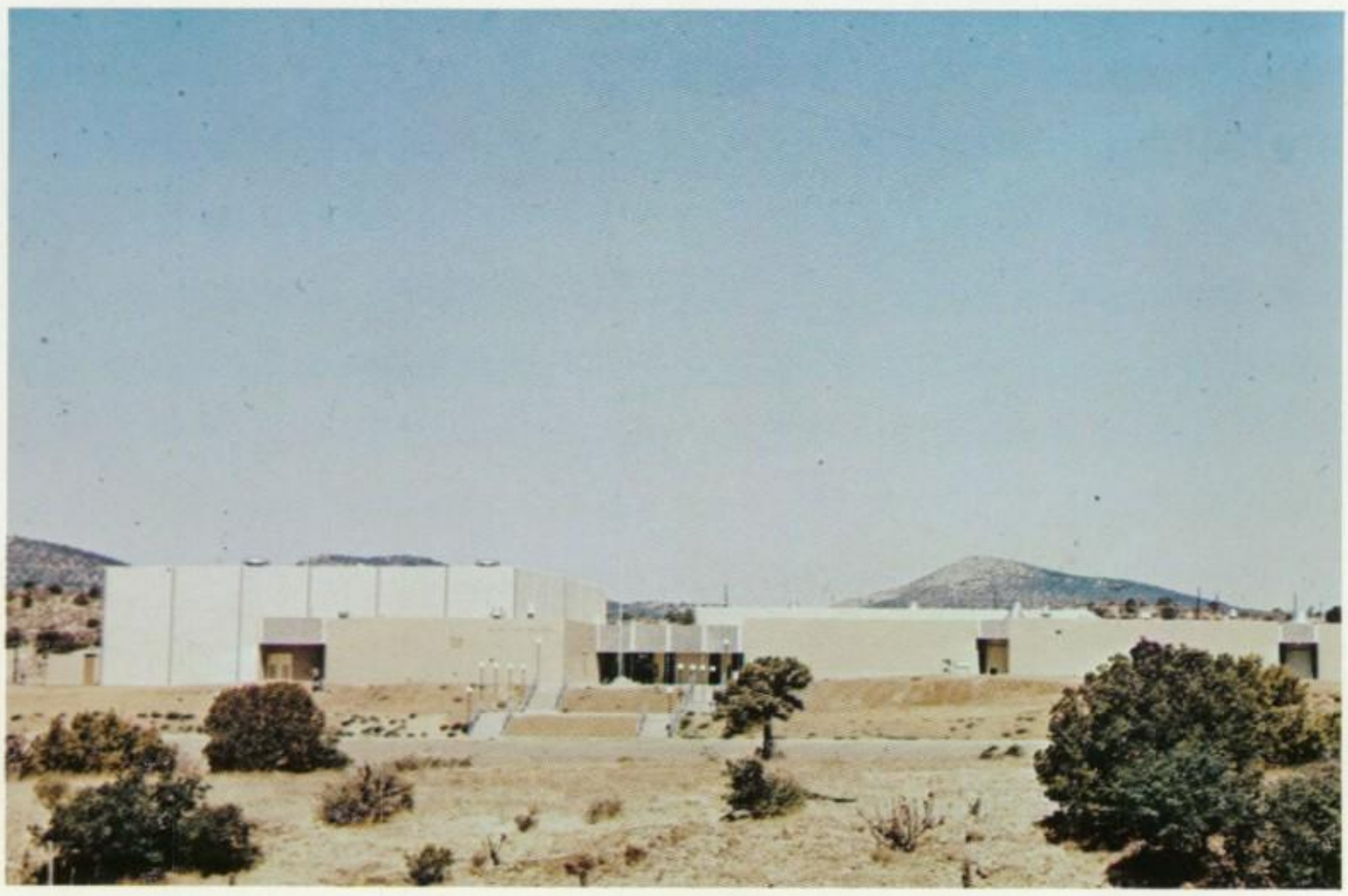


Many students enjoy the library.

Peter Stemmerich, and Janet Perea help to serve punch during the Student Council barbecue.

Office is a favorite class. Here office help Terri McKee looks through the student files for information.

What kind of cake would you care for? Seems to be the question that Mona Roberson is asking.



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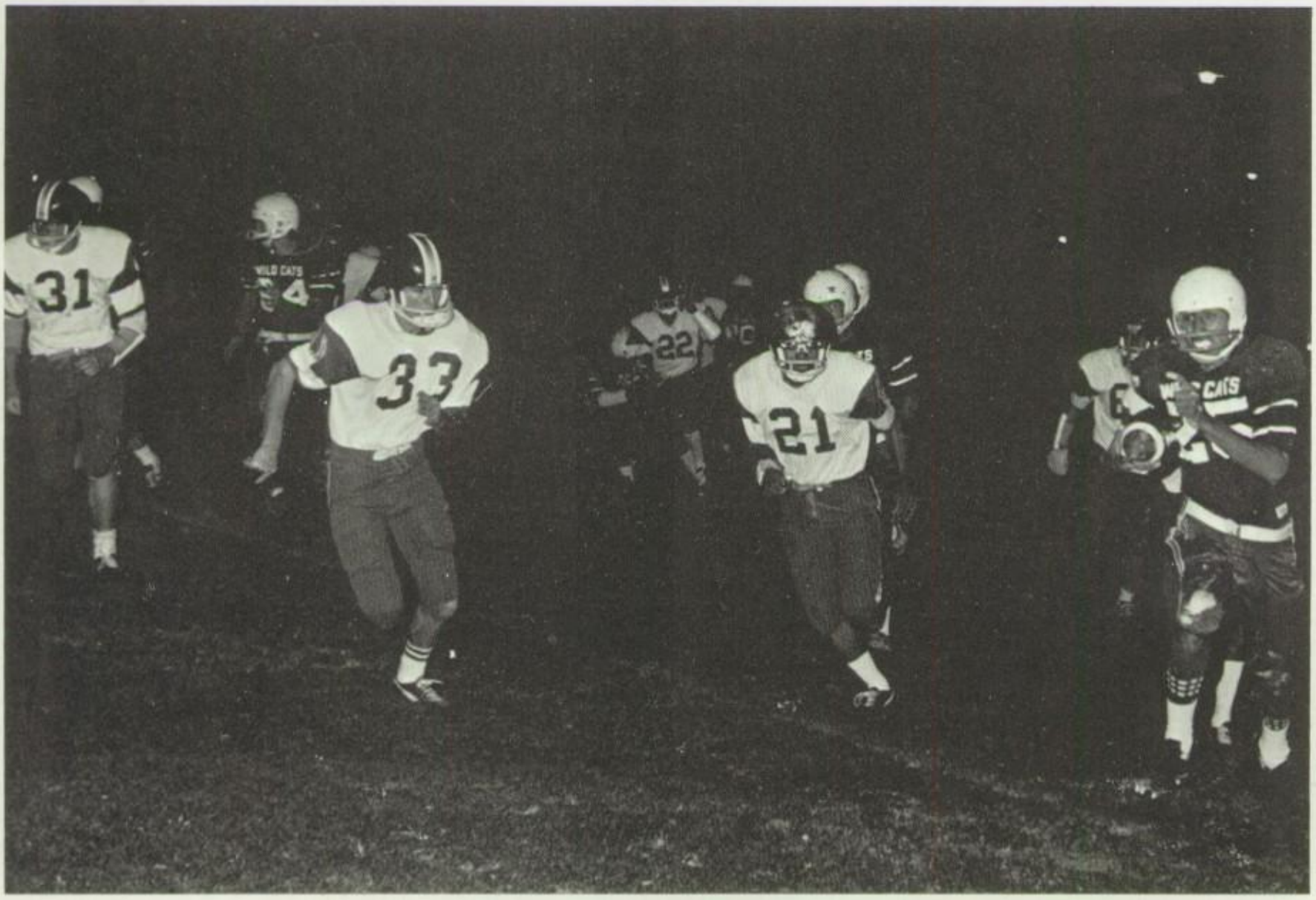
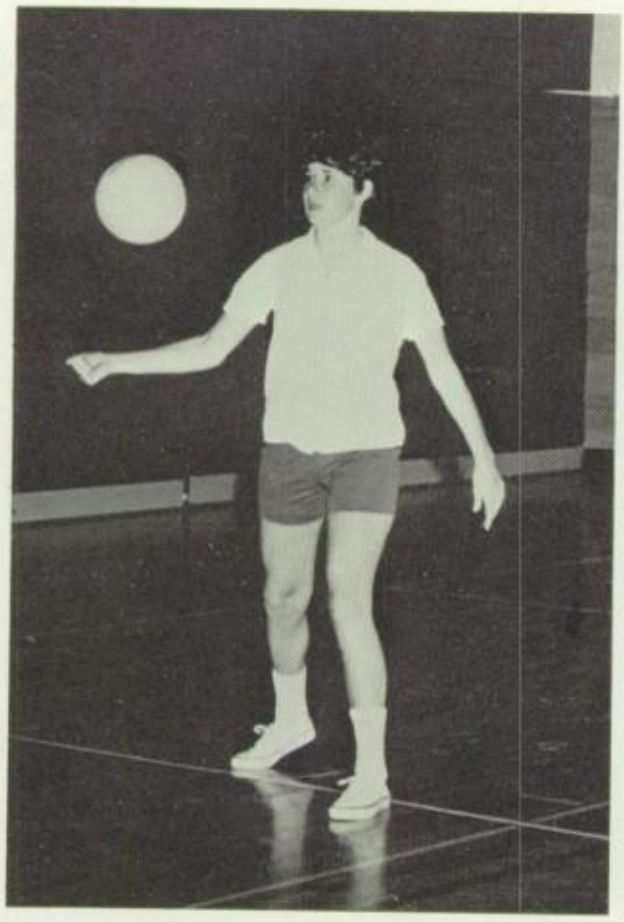
Jimmy Wiseman and Donnie Fell mastering a common problem at S. H. S., openning their locker.

After classes . . . . . the long road home.



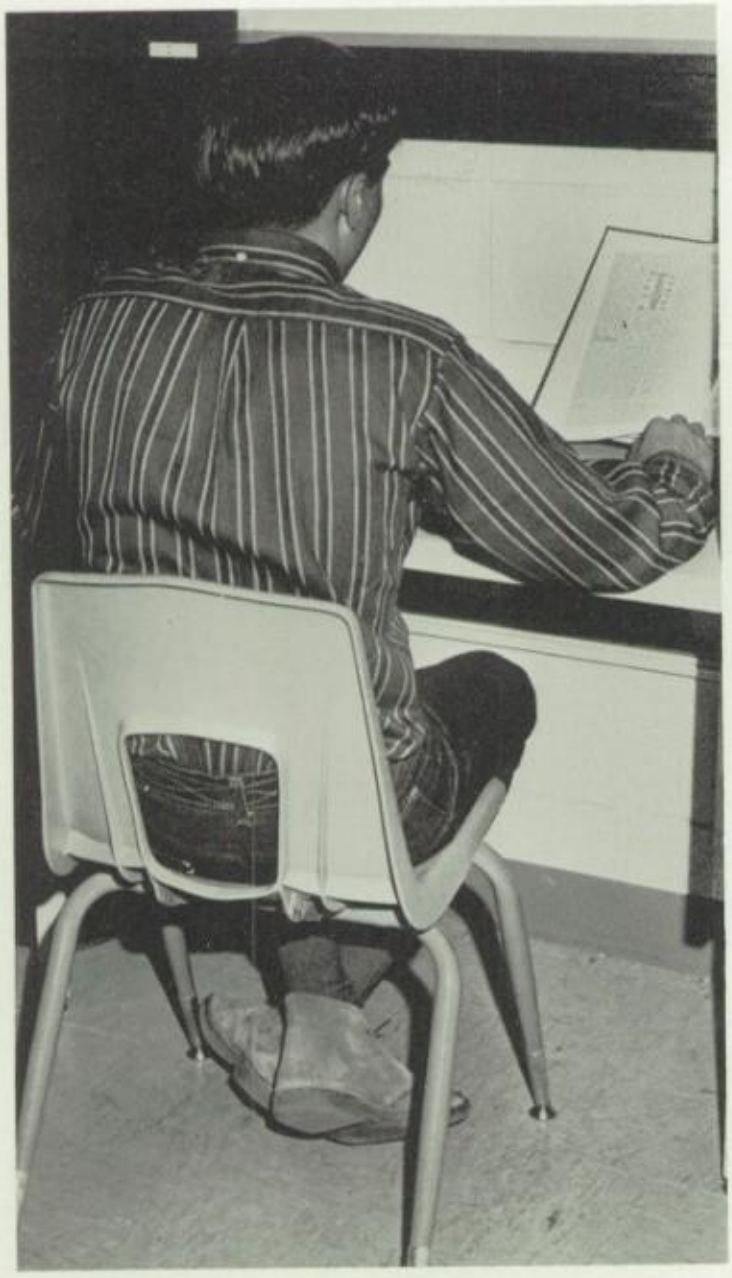
The Fighting Colts in action.



Chris Hensley doing her part for the GAA.

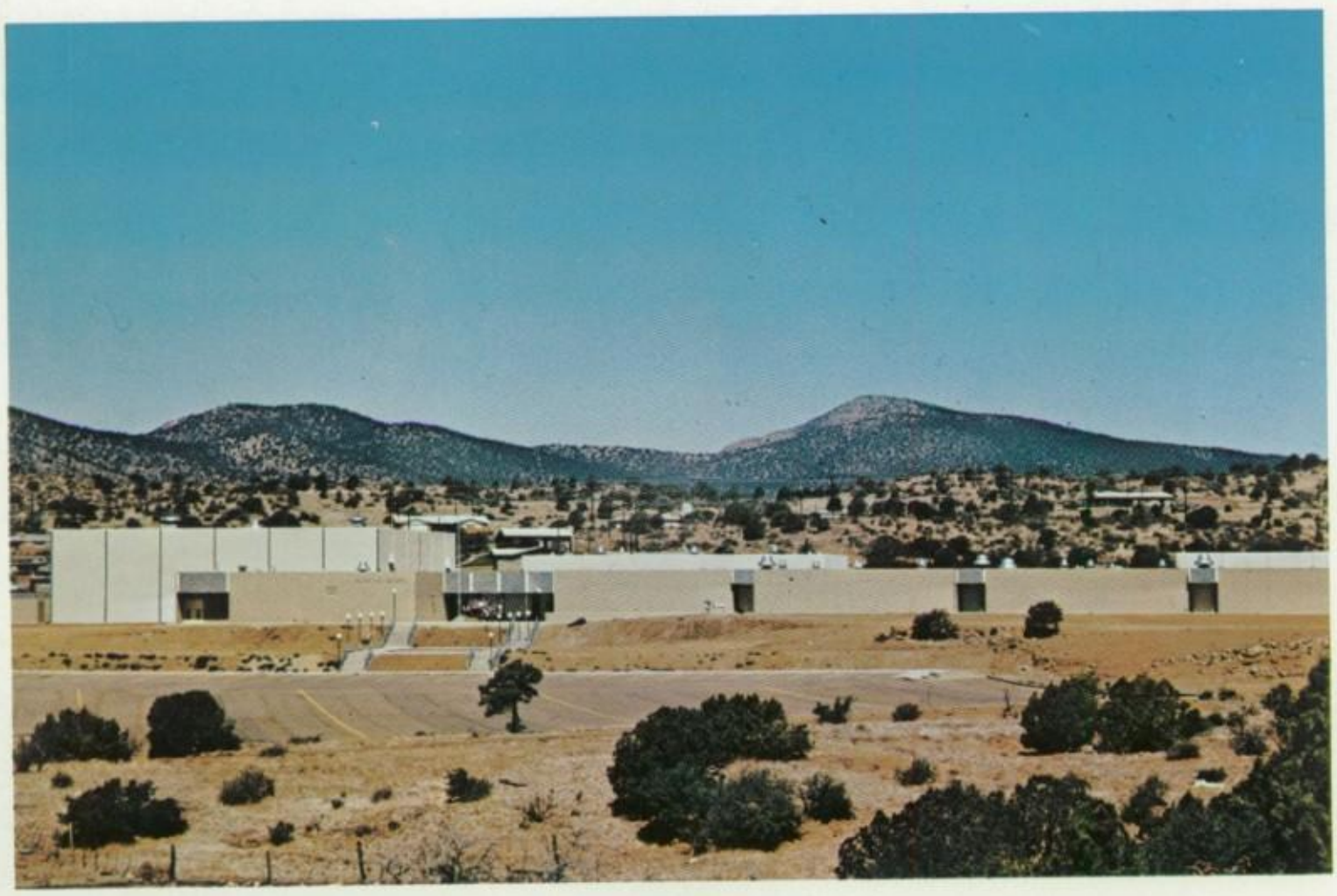
In typing class, every word counts.

Rita Palmer and Liz Siemer working hard in the library.



One of the more serious moments in the life of a Silver High student.

At Camp Thunderbird, the Fighting Colt Football team practiced hard, to prepare for the 1968 football season.



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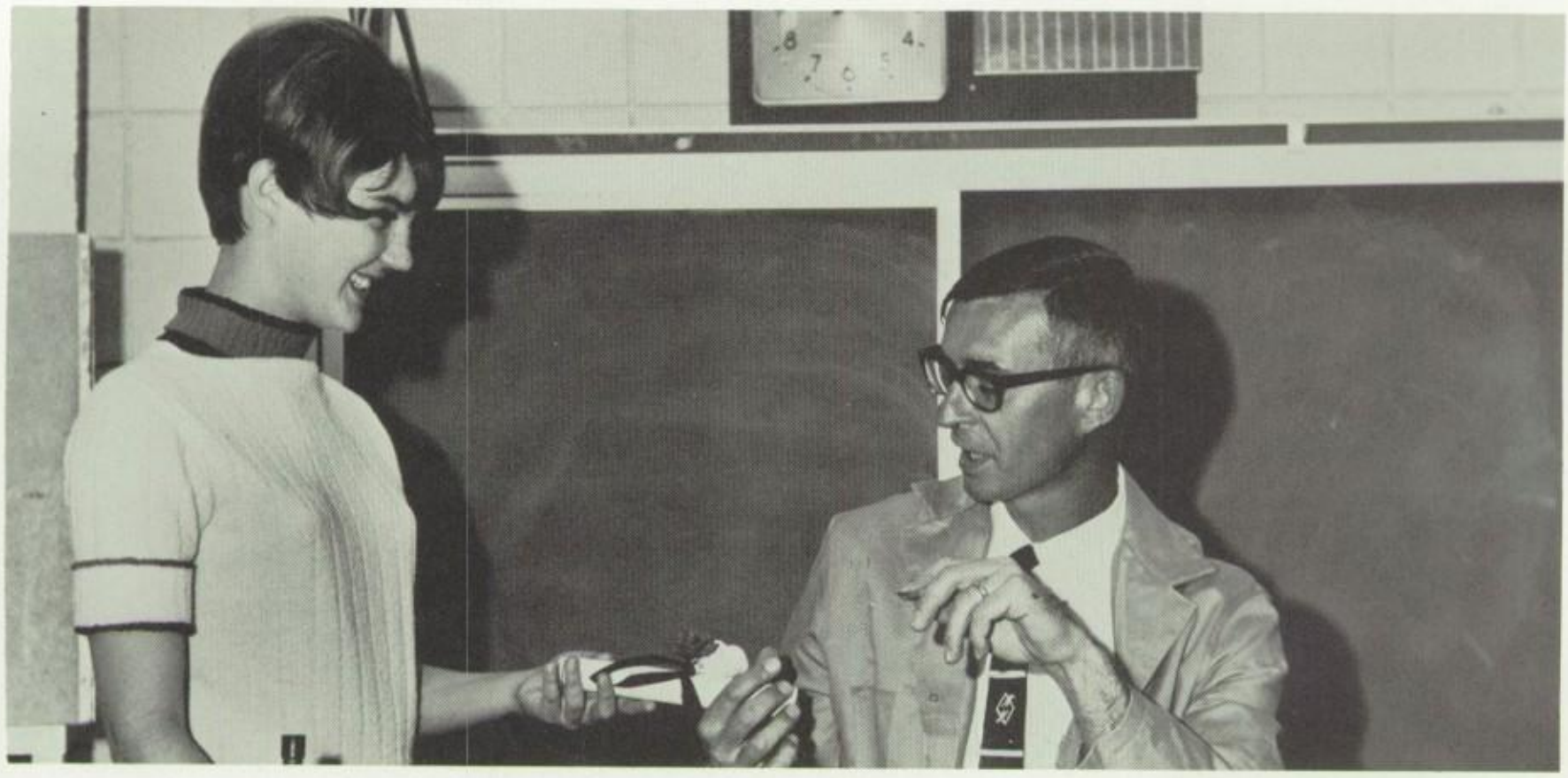

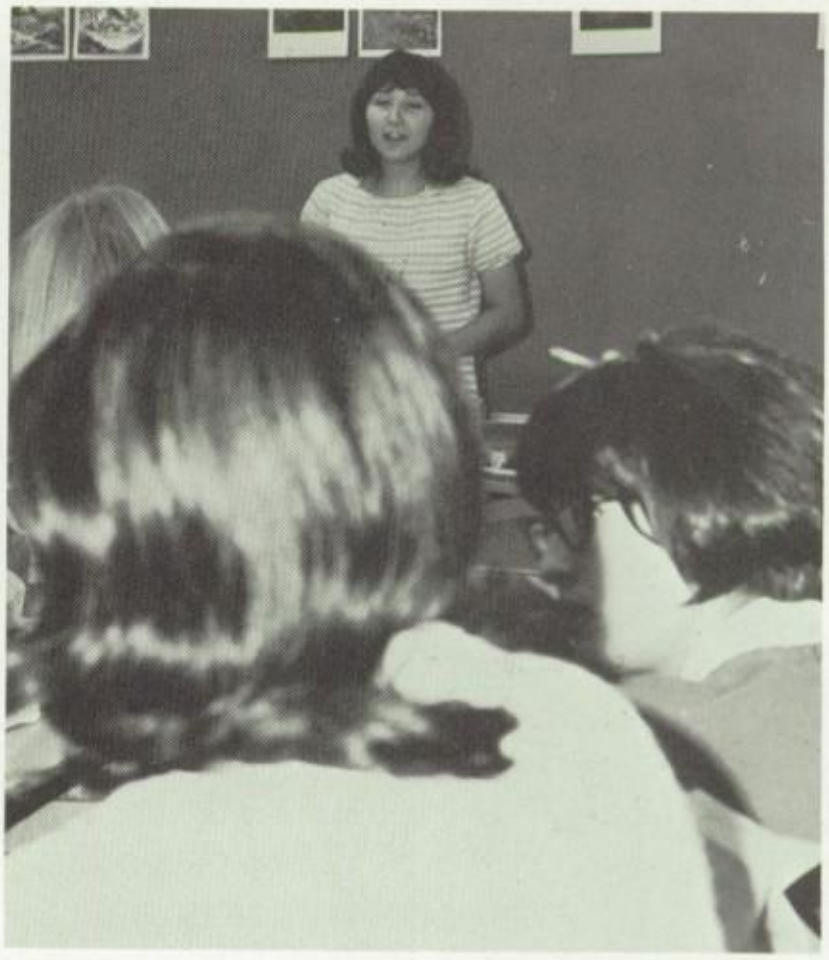

Organizations

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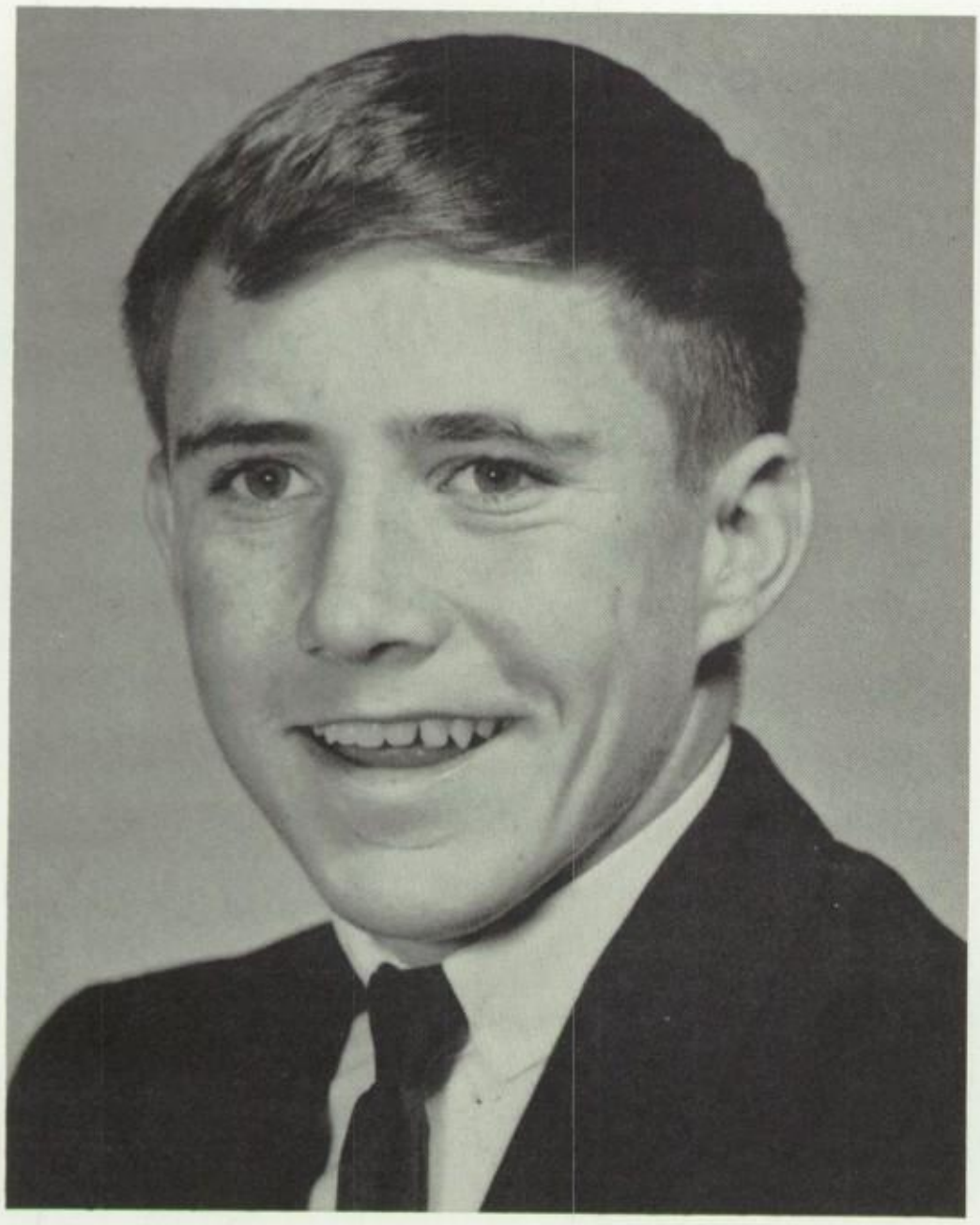
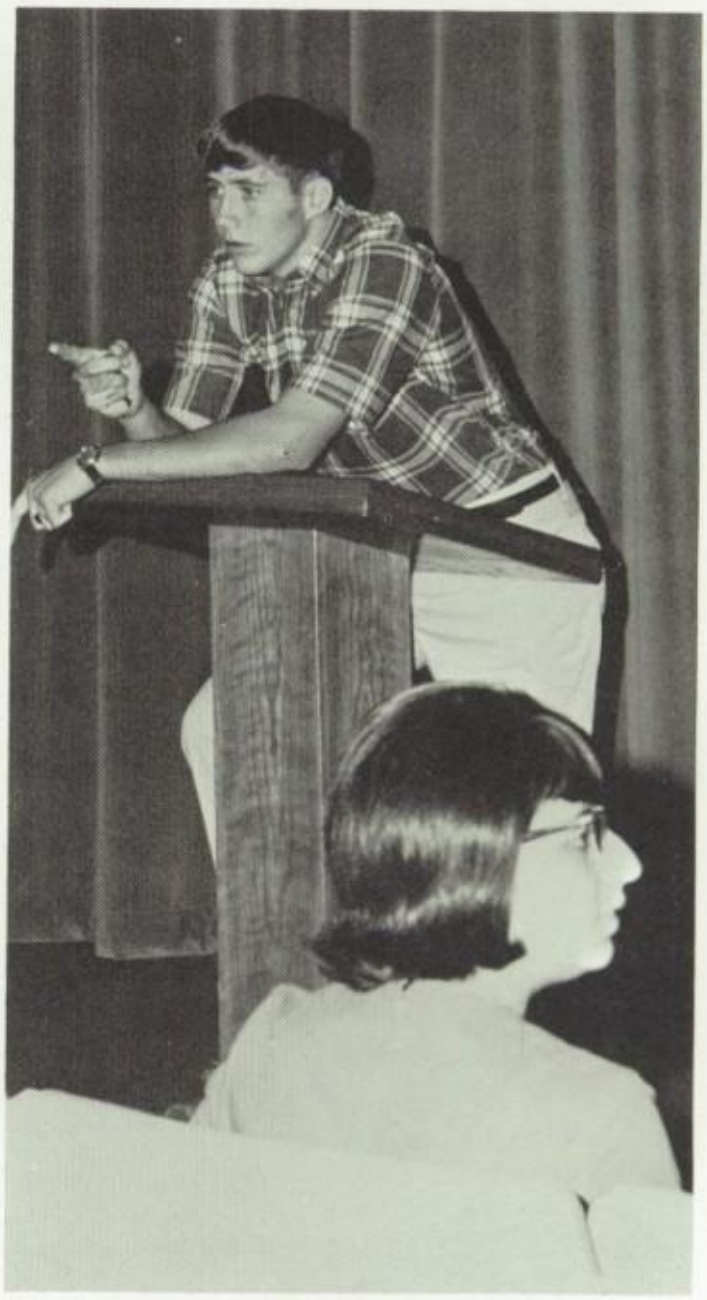
Tim Hill	President
Frank Ogas	Vice President
Jim Reed	Treasurer
Terri McKee	Secretary
Benetta Otwell	Secretary

Silver High Student



Student Body President, Tim Hill

"The purpose of the Silver High Student Council is to establish a better understanding and co-operation among the pupils and the faculty. Advance interest in scholarship, school pride, and fair play. To acquire experience in democratic procedures, student participation and student government. A group of students are chosen by the student body and the organizations to become a center for these functions, and to serve the school wherever needs occur."



This meeting will now come to order!

Council

Front Row, left to right: Mrs. Moreno, Sponsor; Win Davis, Becky Smith, Laura Crosby, Mrs. Nickel, Sponsor; Second Row: Diana Wilmeth, Polly Fisher, Glenn Simons, Donna Tedford, Phil Mortensen, Ted Griswold. Third Row: Doug Dinwiddie, Jimmy Reed, Robert Lupton, John Walsh, Paul Pickett.

Silver Scholastic Society

The Silver Scholastic Society is to recognize superior scholarship and promote active service to Silver High School. Membership is open to all juniors and seniors with a cumulative record of 3.25. The society endeavors to assist in the special activities of the school and to promote good scholarship at Silver High.

Officers: Left to right: Win Davis, Secretary, and Treasurer; Bobby Lopez, Vice President; Steve Wilmeth, Student Council Representative; John Walsh, President.

Front Row, Left to right: Karen Jacobs, Sue Morton, Irma Holguin, Nancy Reed, Sylvia Soto. Second Row: Pat Walker, Ida Placencio, Pat Rivera, Jean Arellano, Terri Gonzales, Adela Carillo, Mrs. Nolan-Sponsor. Third Row: Craig Brooke, Earlyne Risinger, Cathie Reams, Val Padilla, Elvia Jauriqui, Liz Melendrez, Mike Grijalva.

Officers: Karen Jacobs, Secretary; Sue Morton, Treasurer, Irma Holguin, President; Nancy Reed, Vice President; Sylvia Soto, Student Council Representative.

The FTA seeks to encourage young people to cultivate in themselves the qualities of personality and character which are the foundation of successful teaching; acquaint them with the story of the public schools—the part free schools have played in the development of our democratic way of life, and to provide them with current information about opportunities in the various fields of education.

Future Teachers of America

First row, left to right: Penny Powe, Nancy Powe, Cathy Collard, Peggi Smith, Jo Ann Noce, Miss Kney, Sponsor; Second row: Pattie Reese, Rosemary Madrid, Chris Hensley, Michele Hensley, Nancy Manning, Liz Melendrez, Mrs. Brake, Sponsor.

Officers: Penny Powe, President; Nancy Powe, Student Rep.; Second row: Nancy Manning, Historian; Michele Hensley, Chaplin

Future Homemakers of America is a national organization open to all girls and boys studying homemaking in high school.

F.H.A. provides opportunities for students to gain experience in planning and carrying out activities related to homemaking.

The overall goal of the organization is to help individuals inprove personal, family and community living now and in the future.

Future Homemakers of America

"Walk together, talk together all ye peoples of the earth. Then and only then shall ye have peace."

The American Field Service is an educational organization whose purpose is the furthering of understanding and good will among the peoples of the world. It carries out this purpose by bringing teen-ager students from abroad to study in American high schools and to live with American families and communities for a year. At the same time, under this Americans Abroad program A.F.S. sends United States teenagers abroad for either a summer or a school year of experience.

First row, left to right: Robin Shilling, Secretary; Sue Morton, Adult Committee Representative; Second row: Ted Griswold, Student Council Representative; Win Davis, President; Lori Hill, Vice President.

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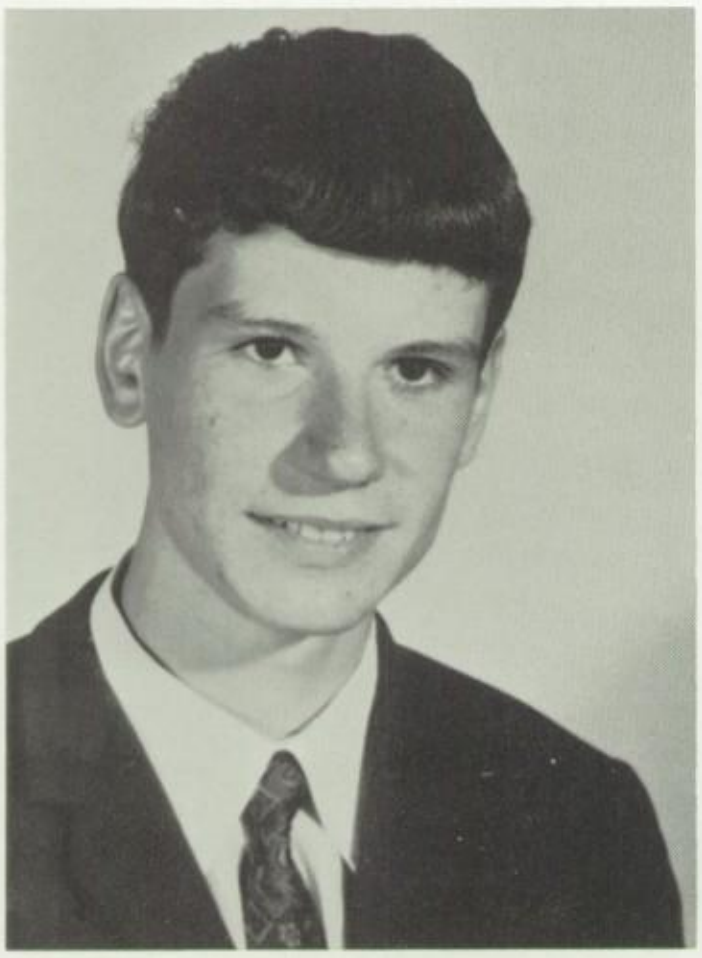
American Field Service

This Year's A.F.S. Student from Germany



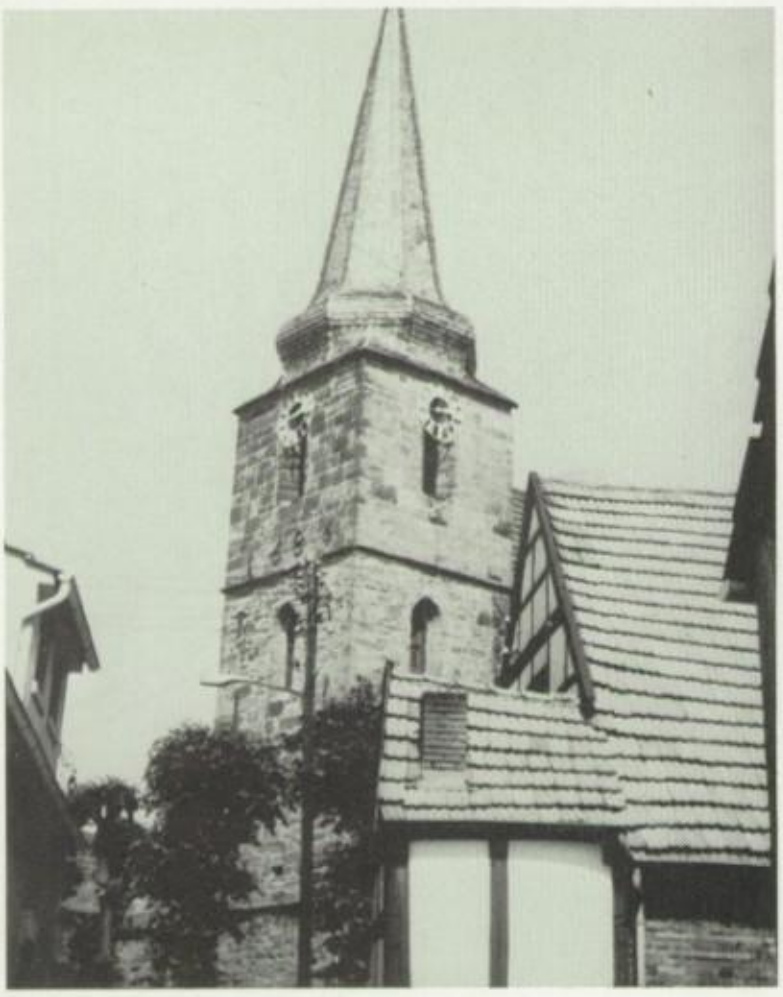
Peter Stemmerich from Bevergern, Germany.

It was a long way to America both in distance and effort, yet I am very glad that I determined to start the road that carried me to the U.S.A. Like many of the German boys I dreamt of coming to this country. When I arrived I felt like a discoverer of a new world. Everything was strange to me, but I soon became used to the new things.

My hometown of Bevergern in Germany is quite a bit smaller than Silver City. It is situated in the Northwestern part of Germany, about thirty miles from the Dutch border. We are proud of the fact that it has been a town for 600 years. Because there is no high school in Bervergern, I traveled eight miles a day by bus or bicycle according to the season. We are in school six days a week every day from eight to one o'clock, having ten subjects a week. We spend four or five years in elementary school and go to high school for nine years.

This year in Silver City will remain in my memory as an opportunity to make international friends. It has given me more than I hoped for. My thanks to everone, who made this year a big success.

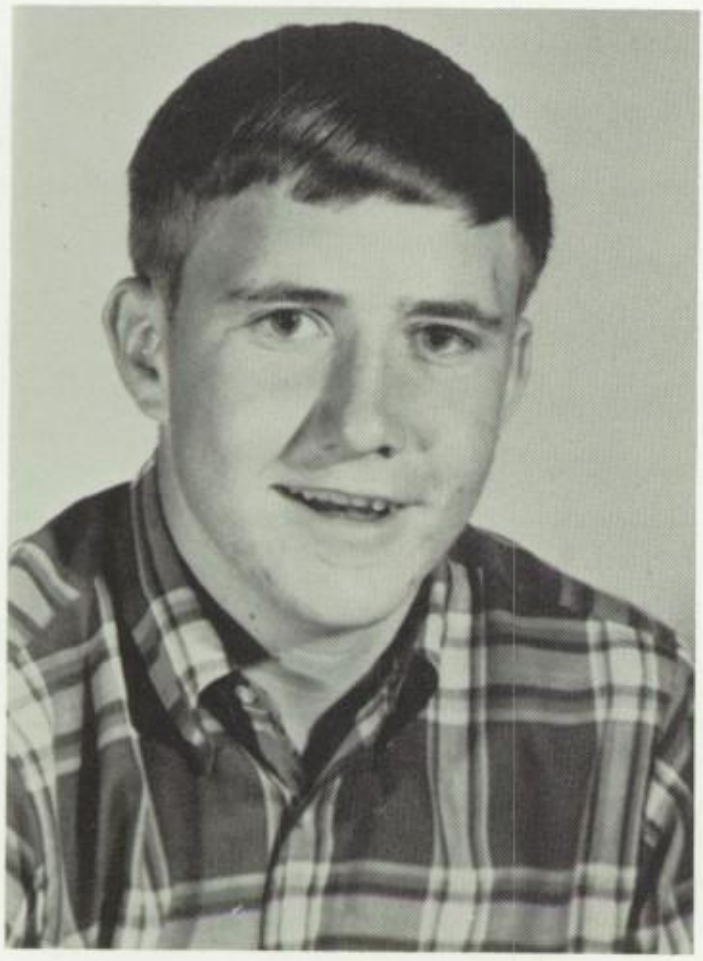
Peter Stemmerich



Peter's church, like most in Germany, is located in the center of the village.

Peter's home has a china shop in front.

Last Summer's A.F.S. Student to Austria



Tim Hill

I was the American Abroad to Austria from Silver City in the summer of 1968. I received this opportunity by applying to be an American Abroad through the American Field Service. There were 600 Americans Abroad in Europe and 60 in Austria.

I left Silver City on June the 20th and then after twelve days of travel I arrived at the home of the Robert Mann Family, in Königsbrunn, Austria where I would live for the next seven weeks.

In Austria I had four brothers ranging in age from five to fifteen years, and no sisters. The village I lived in had 400 inhabitants and was about 30 miles from the city of Vienna.

My activities varied from swimming and fishing to working in my 'father's' butcher shop.

After nearly two months in a beautiful European country, I returned home on September first to start school.

Tim Hill

The boat trip home resulted in many new friends.

Left to right: John Walsh, student council representative; Paul Pickett, President; John Reynolds, Vice President.

The Science Club is an extracurricular activity for all high school students interested in any field of science. Programs during the year include speakers, films and experimental meetings. Daylong and overnight field trips are planned. Some members of the club are also planning Science Fair projects to be entered in the fair at Las Cruces in March. The purpose of the club is to stimulate and encourage interest in science.

Front row, left to right: Barbara Finch, Mary Osmer, David Serna. Second row: Mark Roberts, Bill Emerson, Paul Pickett, Mrs. Sontag Sponsor. Third row: Duane Ullman, John Walsh, John Reynolds, Steve Sontag.

Science Club

Front row, left to right: Vangie Correa, Connie Lujan, Mary Juare, Isabel Juare, Irma Iduarte, Dodie Polanco. Second row: Sadie Garcia, Yolanda Lucero, Juanita Arellano, Dolores Higuera, Mary Jean Lopez, Martha Higuera, Helen Gallardo. Third row: Mrs. Moreno sponsor, Paul Berver, Elvia Jauriqui, Martha Placencio, Norma Montes, Helen Garcia, Mario Cordova, Rosemary Madrid, Mr. DeLong sponsor.

Front row, left to right: Vangie Correa, Student Council Representative; Yolanda Lucero, President; Second row, Mary Lou Lara, Vice President; Francine Ray, Secretary; Juanita Arellano, Treasurer.

The purpose of "Los Plateros", Spanish Club, is to encourage the learning of the culture and customs of the Spanish speaking countries. This is done by bringing in speakers, by visiting places of interest and by showing films.

"Los Plateros" Spanish Club

Left to Right: Earlyne Risinger, Student Council Representative; Mr. Van Gundy, Sponsor; Nancy Powe, Treasurer.

The aims and goals of the Silver High Drama Club are few. "Expression" is the one goal which we all strive for throughout our lives. Drama allowes one to develop his abilities of expression. "Team work" is an equally essential aim of the Silver Drama Club. We work together for our own enjoyment and hopefully that of others. Being in the Drama Club is fun but it is also work. However, what enjoyable things in life can be attained without a little effort?

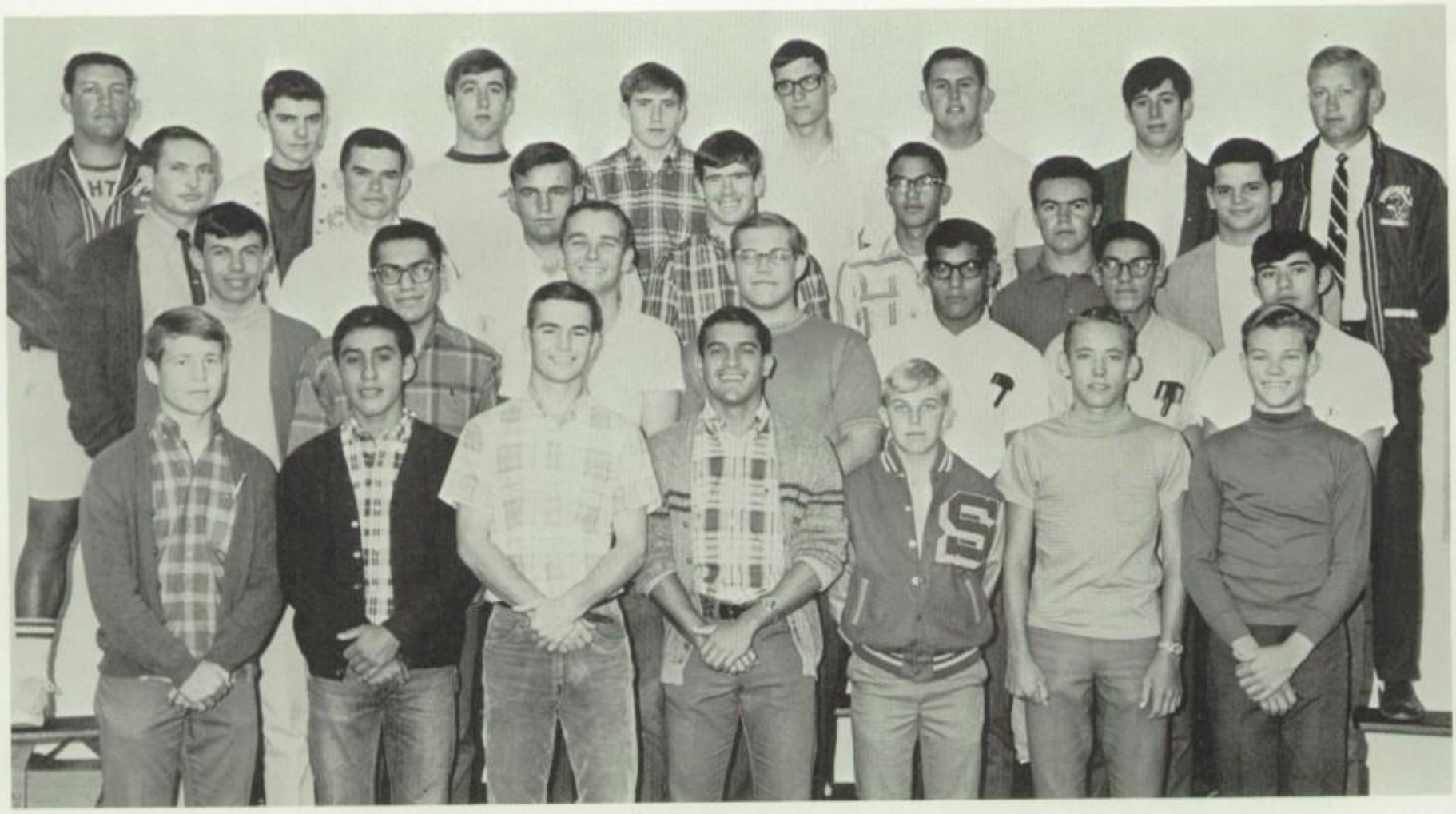
First Row: Craig Brooke, Robin Shilling, Cathy Collard, Sue Morton, Mr. Van Gundy, Sponsor; Earlyne Risinger, Judy Pearce, Geraldine Blair, Steve Schadel. Second Row: Sally Simons, Billie Wilson, Becky Smith, Cathy Reams, Penny Powe, Marla Adkins, Kathy Elwess, Nancy Powe, Mary Osmer. Third Row: Bruce Kennedy, Don Hoffman, Paul Maxwell, Mike York, Henry Griswold, Thomas Perryman, Casey Parker, John Phillips, Robert Lupton, David Serna, John Bayless.

Silver High Drama

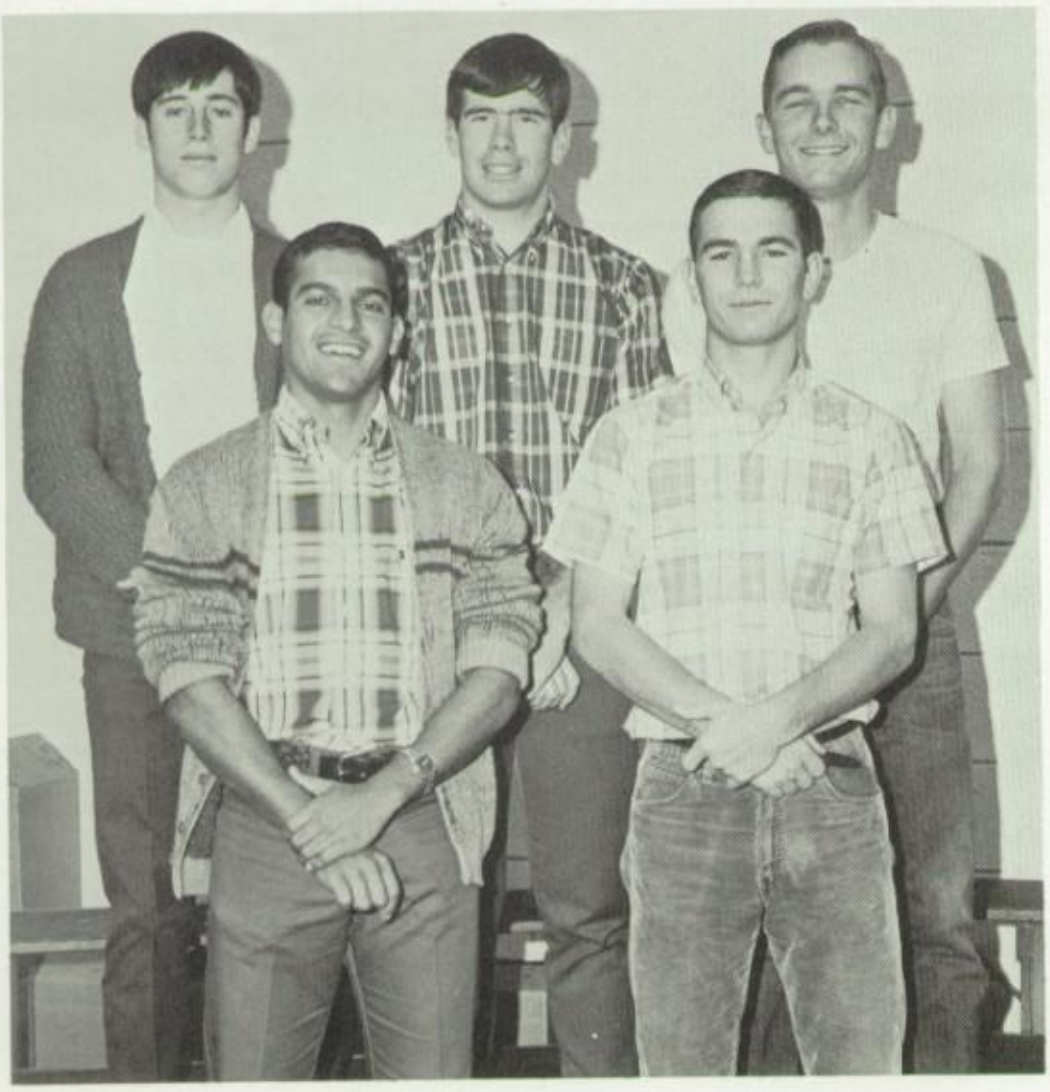
One of the many performers in the talent show was Doug Calderon.

Our next talent for the eventing . . . Earlyne Risinger acts as Master of Ceremonies at the Pink Panther Talent Show.

Club



First row, Left to right: Steve Tabor, Robert Triviso, Phillip Mortensen, Eloy Munoz, Steve Fox, Charles Gose, Art Denham. Second row: Ramon Pacheco, Robert Morales, John Patterson, Casey Parker, Gilbert Garcia, Alfred Correa, Third row: Coach Garrett, Sponsor, Frank Ogas, John White, Steve Wilmeth, John Arellin, Emilio Arellano, Dale Kelly. Fourth row: Coach Ruiz, Sponsor; Jimmy Reed, Bob Jackson, Tim Hill, Dwight Mitchell, Gary Gilliland, John Walsh, Coach Sanders, Sponsor.

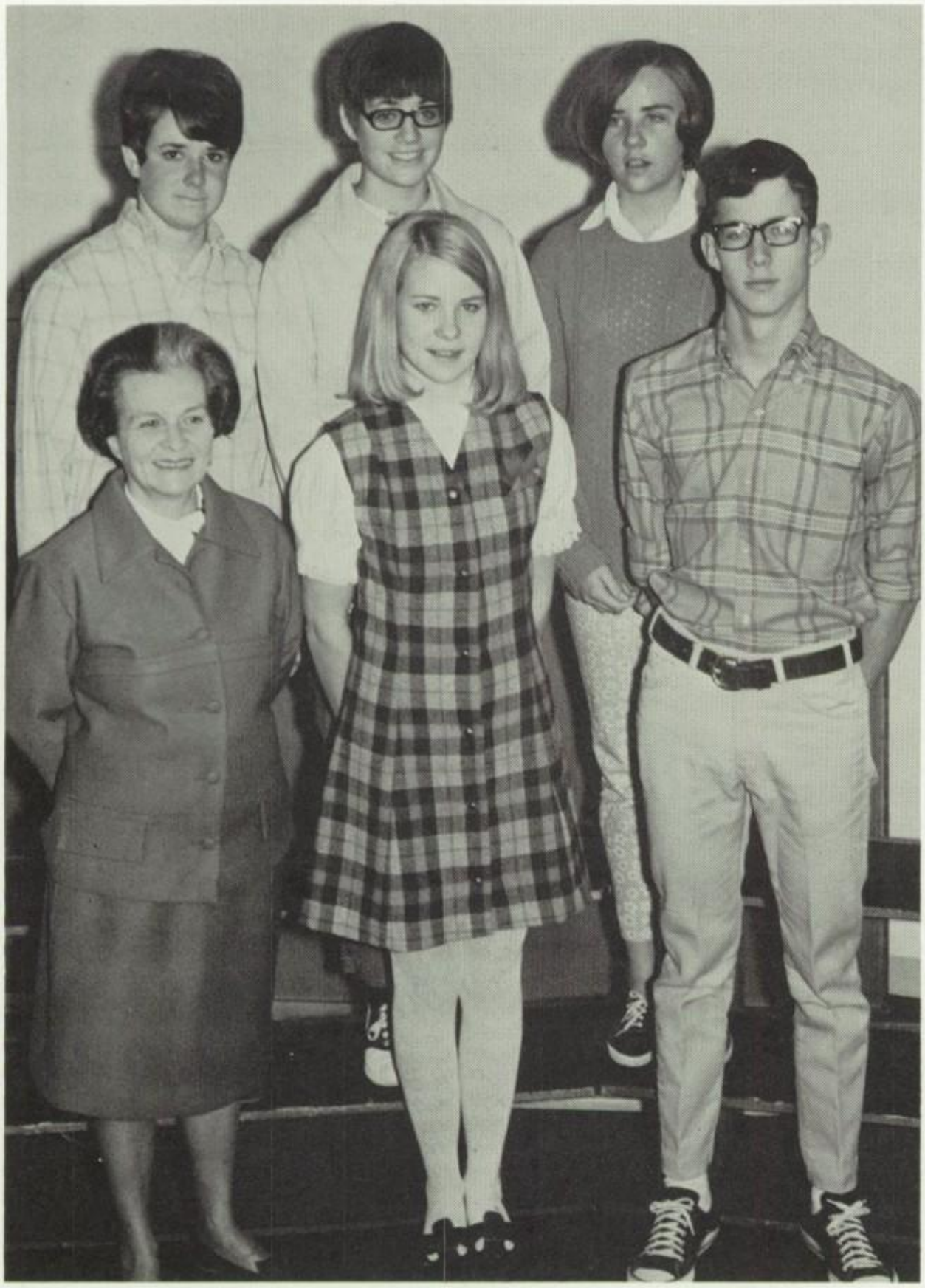


First Row: Eloy Munoz, Treasurer; Phil Mortensen, President. Second Row: John Walsh, Student Council Representative; Steve Wilmeth, Secretary; John Patterson, Vice President.

The "S" Club consists of boys who have earned the varsity "S" and received an invitation to join.

The main objectives of the "S" Club are: 1. To promote higher standards of athletics. 2. To promote fellowship among athletes. 3. To provide a service to Silver High School.

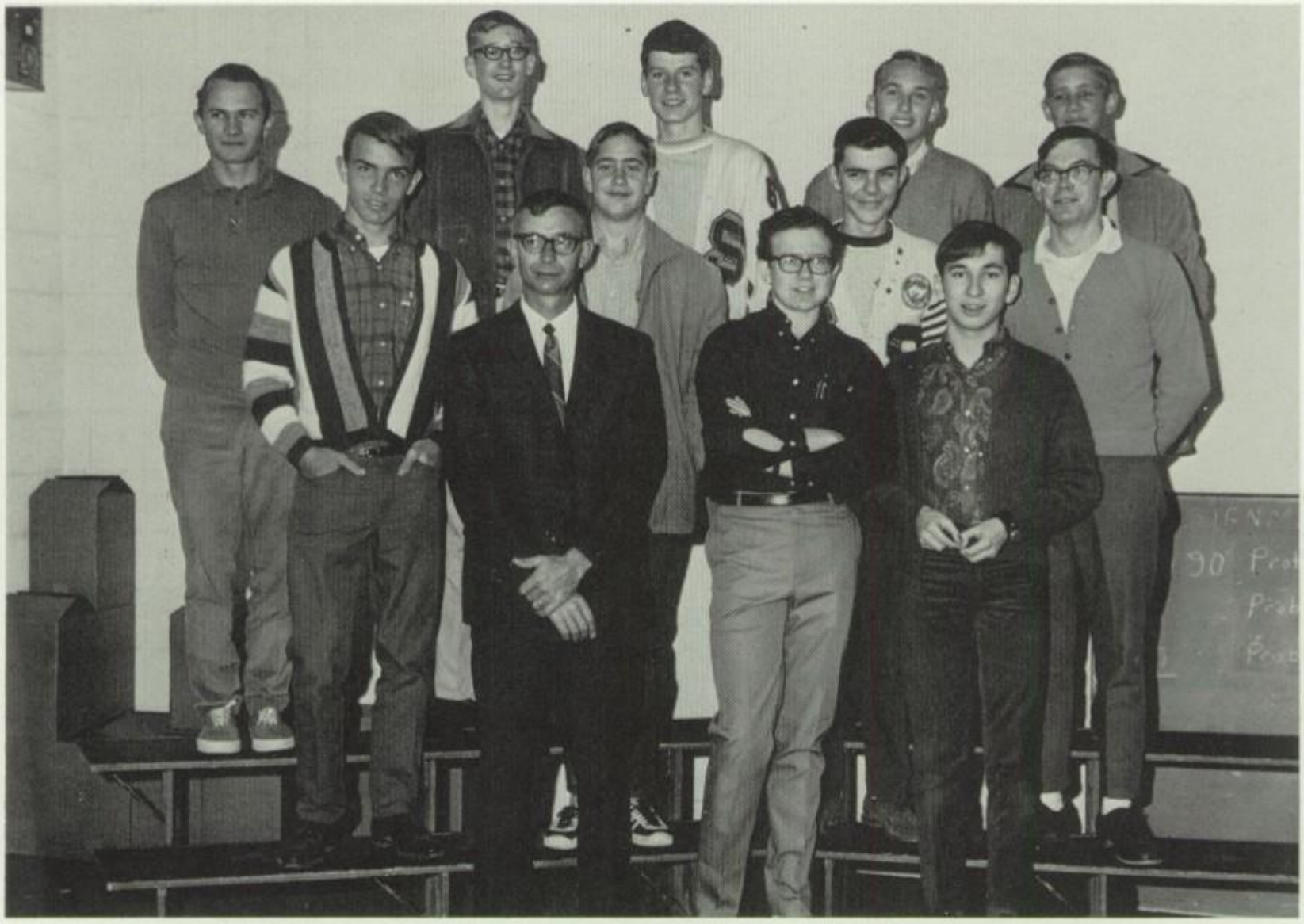
"S" Club



The Junior Classical League helps teenagers pass on the torch of classical civilization to the modern world. Its purpose is to encourage among young people an appreciation of the language, literature, and culture of the people of ancient Greece and Rome.

First Row: Miss Kney, Sponsor; Lori Hill, Treasurer; John Bayless, President; Second Row: Criss Hensley, Secretary; Jane Walsh, Student Council Representative; Lou Ann Shoel, Vice President.

Latin Club



First Row: Mr. Miller, Sponsor; Don Hoffman, David Serna.
Second Row: Jim Tester, Jon Phillips, Jim Reed, Doug Dinwiddie.
Third Row: Dusty Hunt, Richard Fitzhugh, Peter Stemmerich, Craig Lovett, Steve Schadel.

Fighting Colt Chess Squad

The Fighting Colt Chess Squad meets every Wednesday night at the Public Library in order to practice and promote chess, and to learn the basic principles of the game. The Chess Squad's objective this year is to win the District title and then capture the State Championship.

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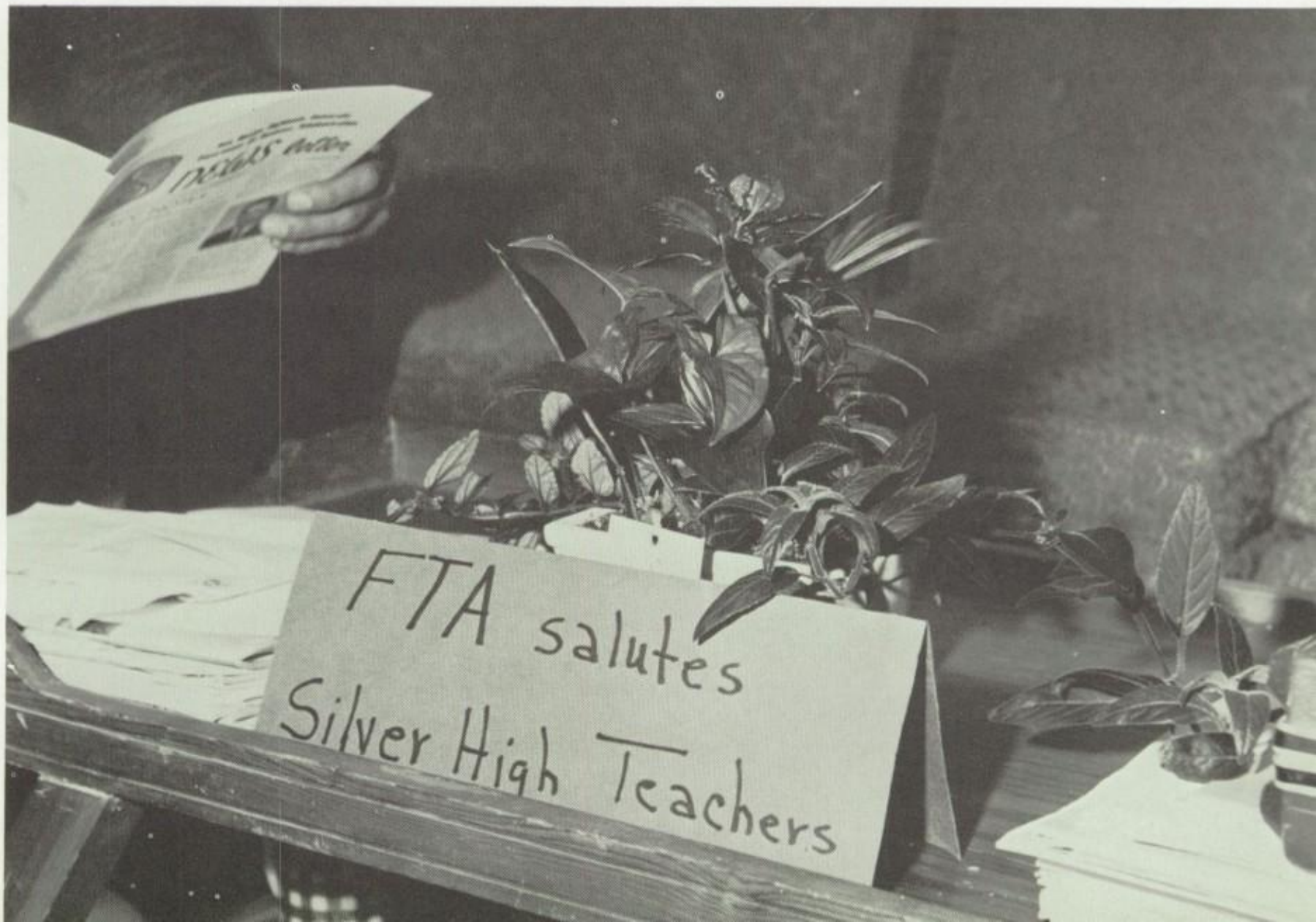
Activities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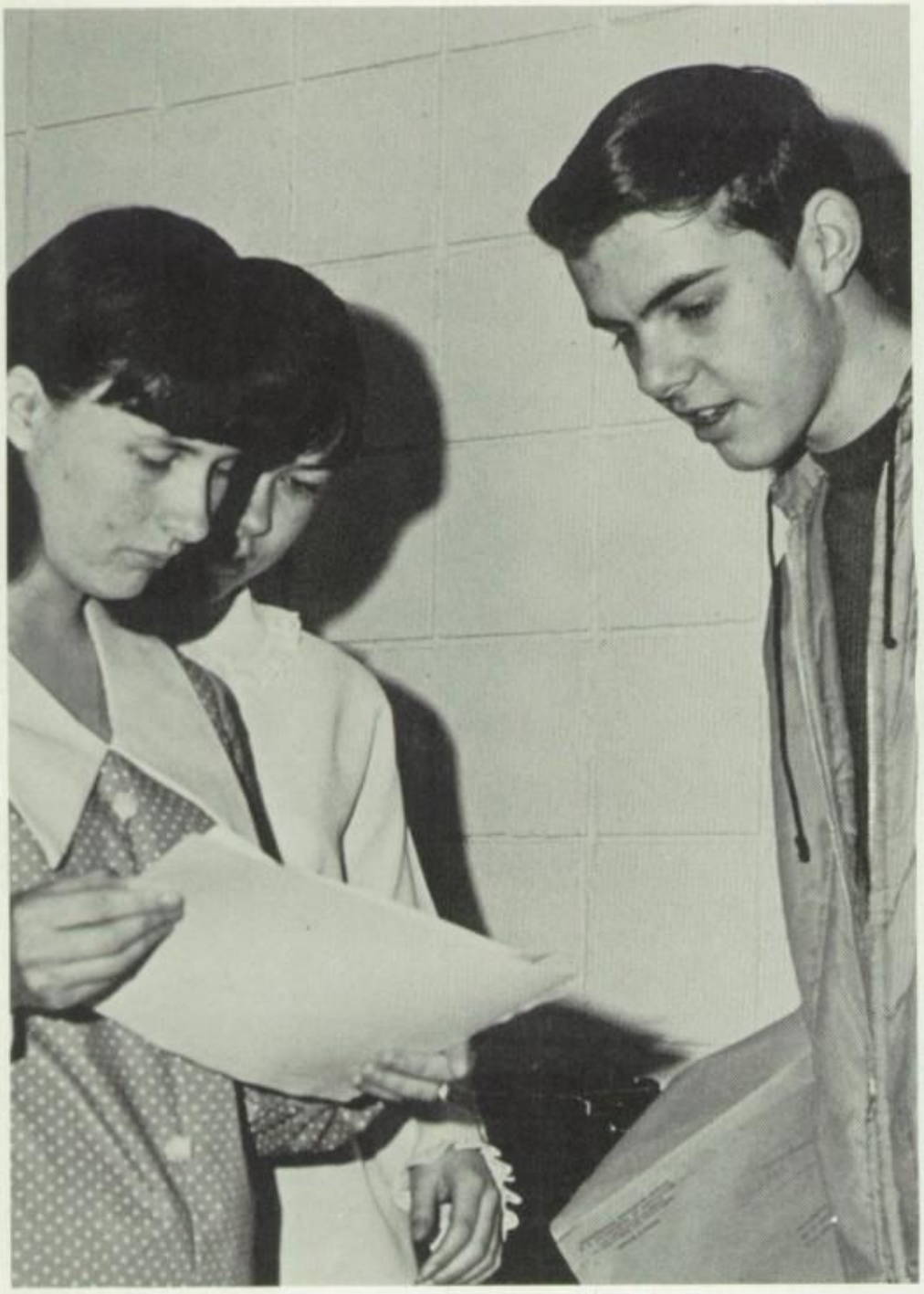
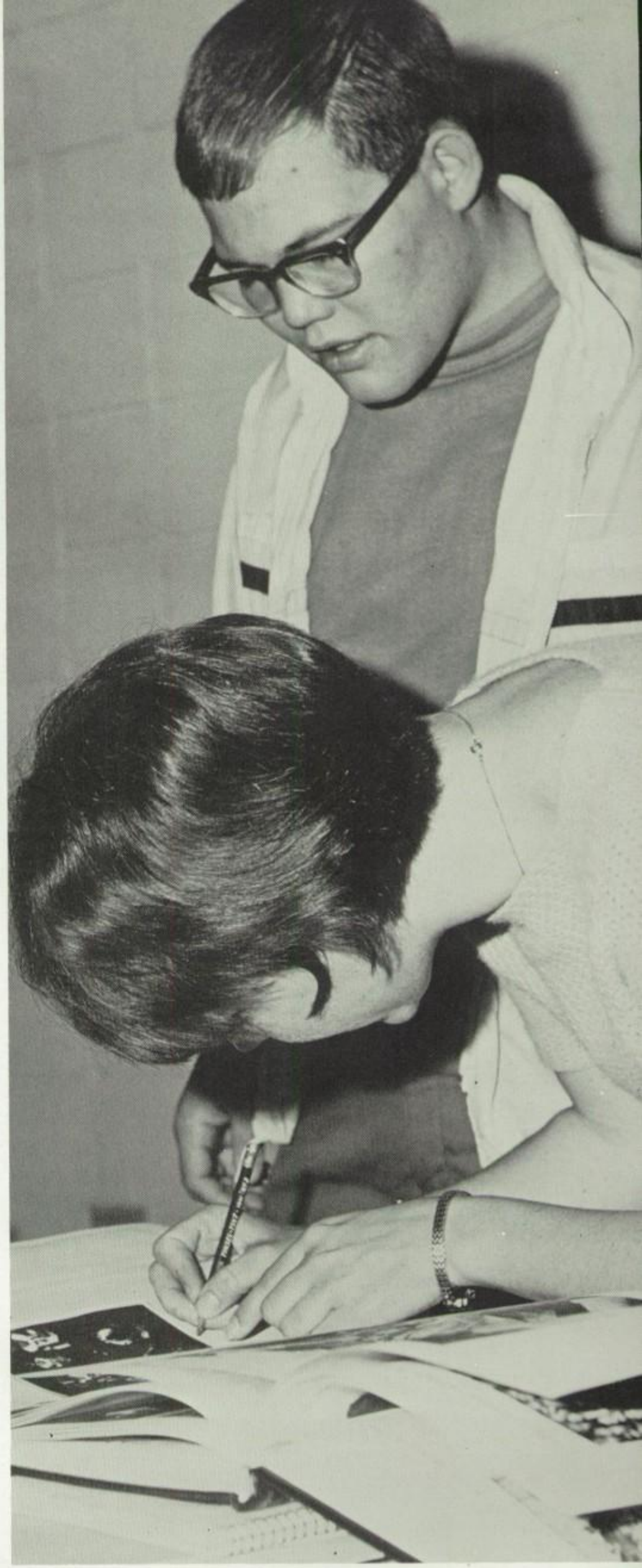
Silver High Teachers



Billie Wilson, faculty, Sally Simons, junior class, and Jim Reed, sports, look over a new batch of pictures.

"El Potranco" Staff

Not pictured but equally hard-working were staff members Marla Fox, photographer; Mary Ann Foster, senior class; Carol Turner, sophomore class; Sue Morton, assistant editor; Marla Adkins, honors; Robin Shilling, honors; and Mrs. Stailey, sponsor.



Jane Lincoln, editor-in-chief, assists Casey Parker, sports, in drawing a lay-out page.

FRONT ROW: Jerry Walz, assistant editor; Jacque Hensley, editor-in-chief; Mrs. Moreno, sponsor; Elvia Jauriqui, business manager; Pat McIlvenna, student council representative; Norma McDonald, fashion co-editor. SECOND ROW: Bruce Kennedy, assistant photographer; Jon Phillips, photographer; Sam Binder, sports editor; Paul Ballmer, assistant photqgrapher; Ray Gomez, assistant sports editor. NOT PICTURED: Linda Arellano, assistant business manager; Susan Gomez, fashion co-editor; Kathy Gregory, features editor; Mike York, assistant sports editor.

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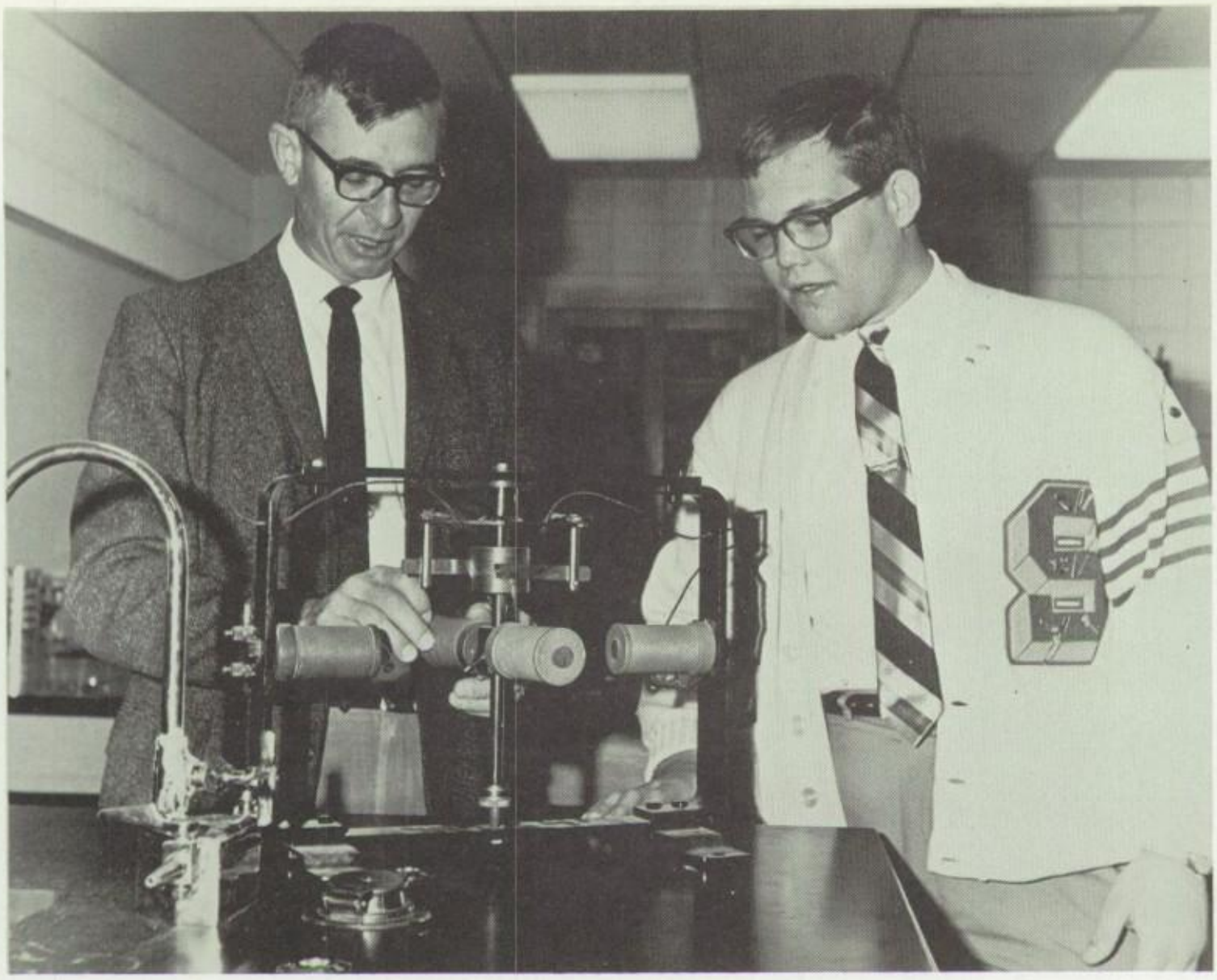
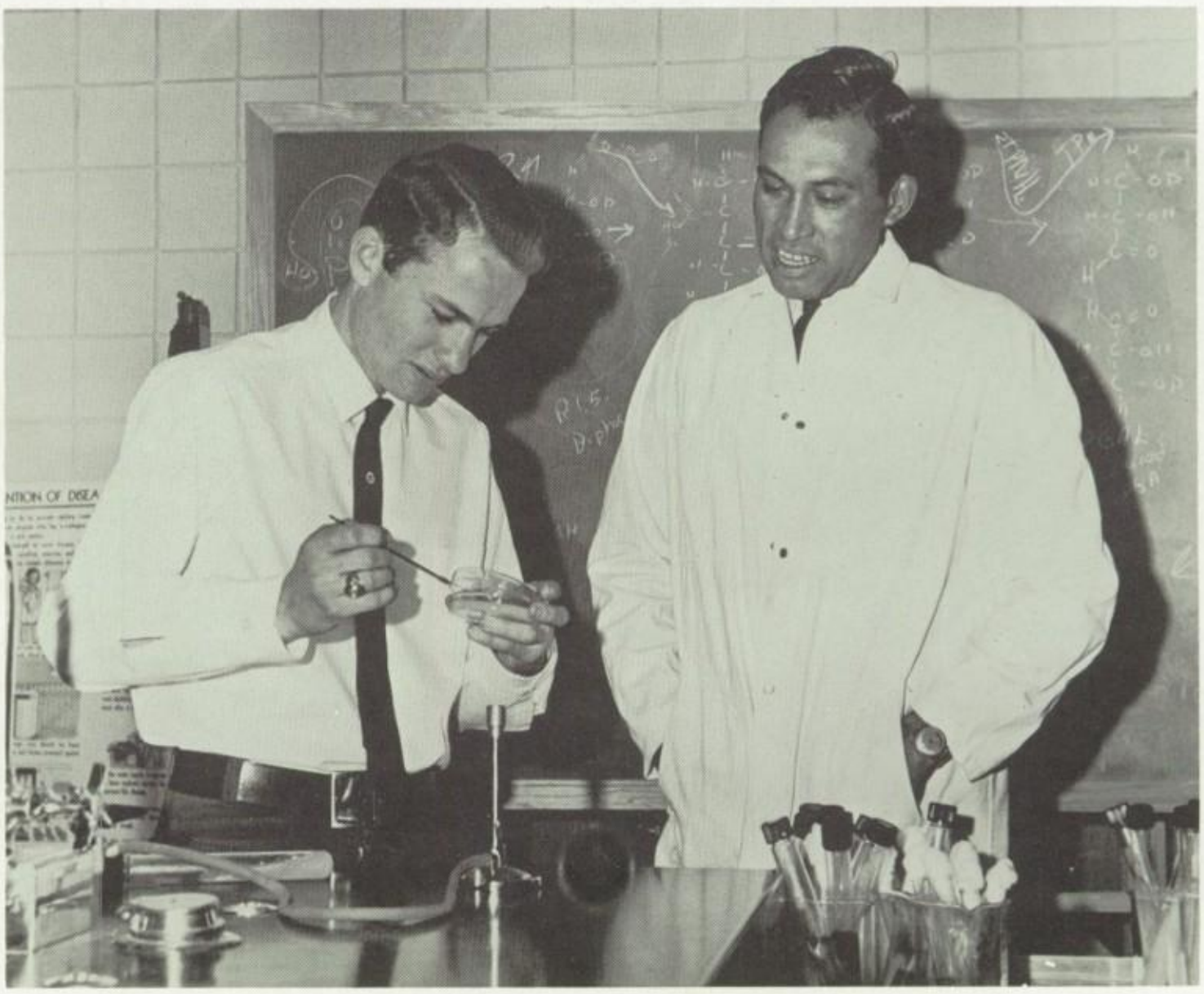


Mr. Miller and assistant Casey Parker prepare for a chemistry lab.

Lab Assistants



Assistant Dusty Hunt's work is supervised by Mr. Maldonado, biology instructor.

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Silver High Band

The different sections of the band are shown in the new uniforms which were purchased this year. The uniforms are convertible for both marching and concert wear.

FRONT ROW: Tony Mendoza, Teri Hotchkiss, Harold Hensley, David Barela. SECOND ROW: Barney Stern, Don Fell, Mario Cordova, Don Stern, Florence Baca. THIRD ROW: Rob Sprecher, Thomas Perryman, Robert Lupton, Kenny Vaughn.

FRONT ROW: Mary Osmer, Marla Fox, Adela Carrillo Jolene Cox, Becky Smith, Grijalva, Ricky Clark, Diana Wright, Irma Holguin. FOURTH ROW: Max Murillo, Benetta Otwell. SECOND ROW: Doug Dinwiddie, Nancy Reed, Jo Ann Noce, Dena David Gonzales, Richard Fitzhugh, Steve Tabor.
Walsh, Gloria Lopez, Sylvia Soto. THIRD ROW: Don Hoffman, John Wesson, Mike

Pep Band

RONT ROW: Mary Osmer, Adela Carrillo, Cathy Collard, Becky Smith, Linda Duane Ullman, Richard Fitzhugh, Mike Grijalva. THIRD ROW: Paul Ballmer, Steve
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BAND OFFICERS: Left to right—Thomas Perryman, co-chairman; Duane Ullman, chairman; Mr. Wayne Thomas, director; Irma Holguin, head majorette; Mike Grijalva, student council representative; David Barela, drum major.

Silver High Chorus

FRONT ROW: Debby Fisher, Vicki Jacobs, Val Bullington, Yolanda Lucero, Jenny Hagen, Tina Graham, Shirley Lowry, Melody Wayne, Peggi Smith, Susan Lowry, Kathie Hunt, Dianne Wilmeth. SECOND ROW: Pam Burns, Dianne Placencio, Karen Lowry, Jo Pruit, Terri Rutherford, Gay Sillman, Geraldine Blair, Debbie Bledsoe, Martha Placencio, Margaret Sipko, Reina Morales, Liz Melendrez, Penny Powe. THIRD ROW: Vickie Battishill, Win Davis, Peggy Garcia, Lorenza Lujan, Paula Moser, Anita Lopez, Marcia Sherman, Pattie Larson, Ginger Haden, Debby Cooper, Jody Perez, Gloria Gonzales, Sherlene Wicker. FOURTH ROW: Donna Tedford, Sherry Lane, Alex Arciero, Steve Schadel, Mark Hotchkiss, Rob Sprecher, Phil Mortenson, Sam Bibles, Brett Moore, David Serna, David Fischer, Thomas Perryman, David Barela.

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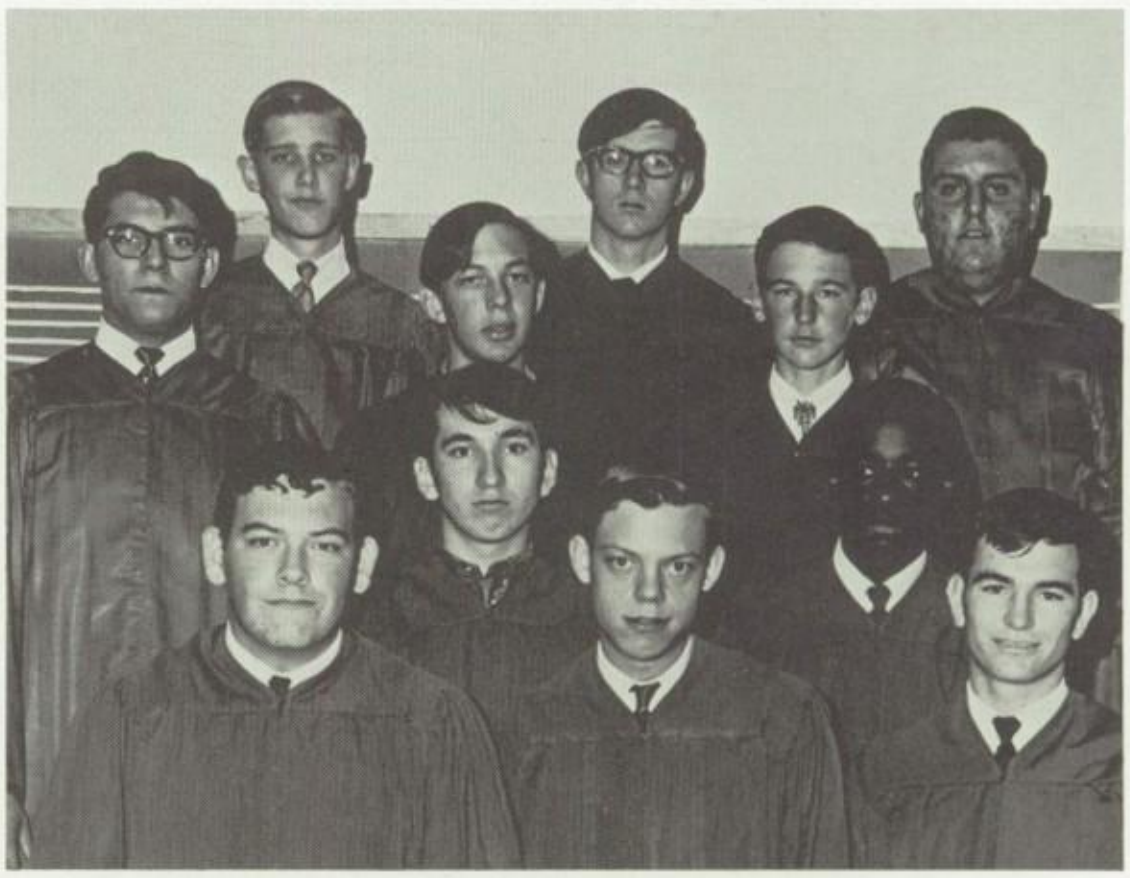


FRONT ROW: Brett Moore, David Fischer, David Barela, Mark Hotchkiss, Sam Bibles. Phil Mortenson. SECOND ROW: David Serna, Thomas Perryman. THIRD ROW: FOURTH ROW: Steve Schadel, Rob Sprecher, Alex Arciero.

Glee Clubs

Left to right: Gloria Lopez, Nancy Reed, Irma Holguin, Sylvia Soto.

Majorettes

IRMA HOLGUIN—HEAD MAJORETTE.

FRONT ROW: Jo Pruit, Berna Rivera, Jo Ann Noce, Pat Rivera, Kathy Gregory, Cris Holler, Sharen Paschke. SECOND ROW: Rosemary Madrid, Marcella Morales, Jody Perez, Mary Juare, Flora McDonald, Norma McDonald. THIRD ROW: Yolanda Lucero, Gloria Gonzales, Isabel Juare, Irma Yduarte, Dora Ybarra, Angelina Bencomo. FOURTH ROW: Velma Alderette, Susan Gomez, Lydia Garcia, Terri Gonzales, Sylvia Ramos, Isbell Castillo. FIFTH ROW: Martha Higuera, Norma Montes, Theresa Escamilla, Virginia Abalos, Deola Aguilera, Debby Hunt. SIXTH ROW: Aurora Castillo, Liz Melendrez, Mona Roberson, Donna Loomis, Debby Bledsoe, Juanita Bailey. SEVENTH ROW: Dolores Higuera, Marilyn Madden, Billie Wilson, Rachel Crosby, Laura Crosby, Gina Zetmeir. EIGHTH ROW: Helen Garcia, Irene Baca, Ida Young, Vickie Maldonado, Mary Jean Lopez, Sherry Lane.

Pep Club

Left to Right: Jo Pruit, Sharen Paschke, Jo Ann Noce, Anna Herrera—head cheerleader, Kathy Gregory.

Cheerleaders

During the year the cheerleaders have backed the Fighting Colts at all athletic events as well as at pep assemblies before the games. Among other activities they have conducted spirit contests and honored each of the athletic teams with a coke party at the close of their respective seasons. The cheerleaders are sponsored by Mrs. Van Buskirk.

The cheerleaders are shown here in their uniforms worn for the basketball season.

Left to Right: Pat Rivera—head cheerleader, Cris Holler, Berna Rivera.

Junior Varsity Cheerleaders

Student

Many students were on hand at the airport to see off A.F.S.'ers Tim Hill and Rudy Abma.

Summer '68

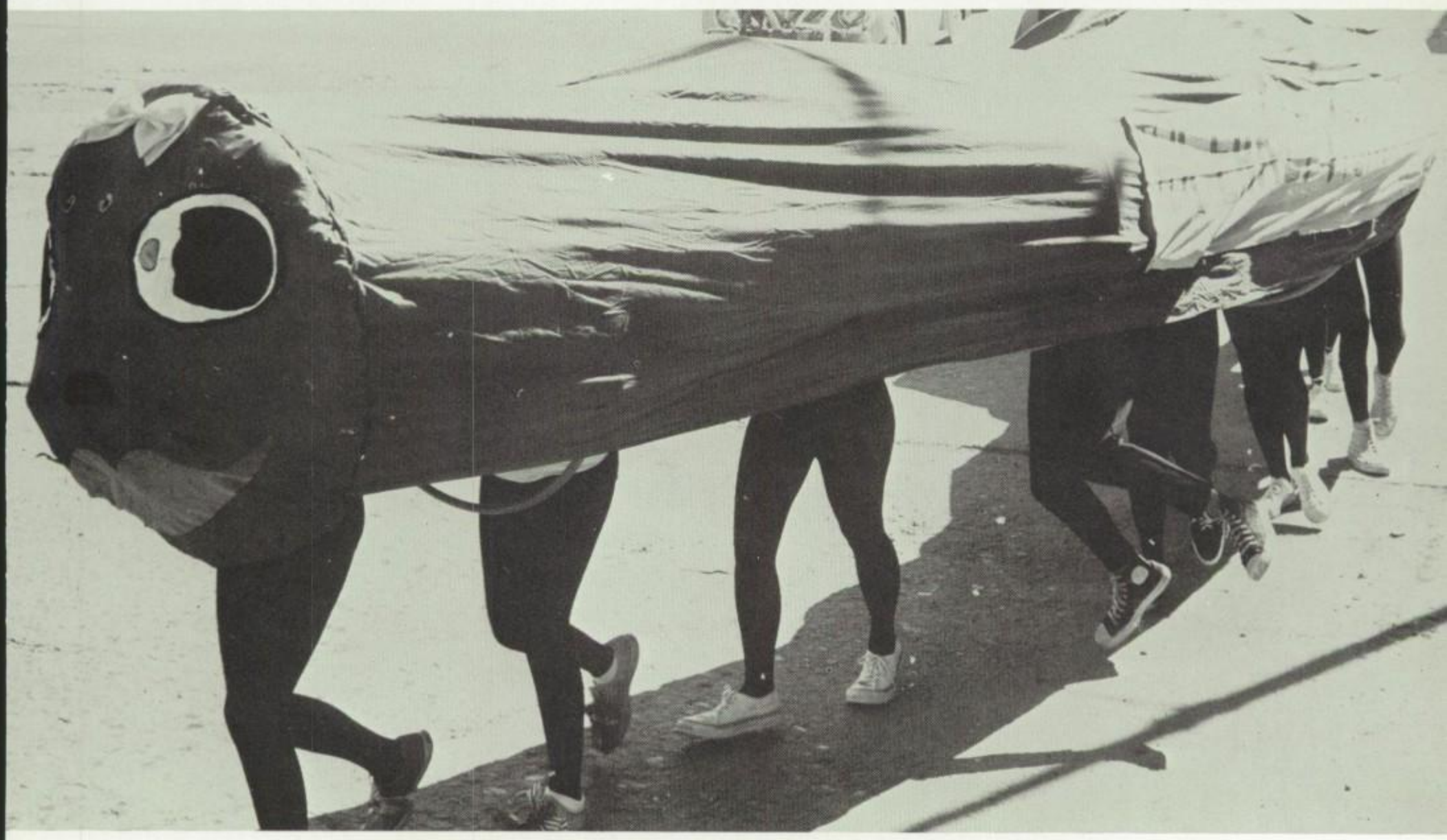
Football players and their families were treated to a hearty meal at football camp.

Activities

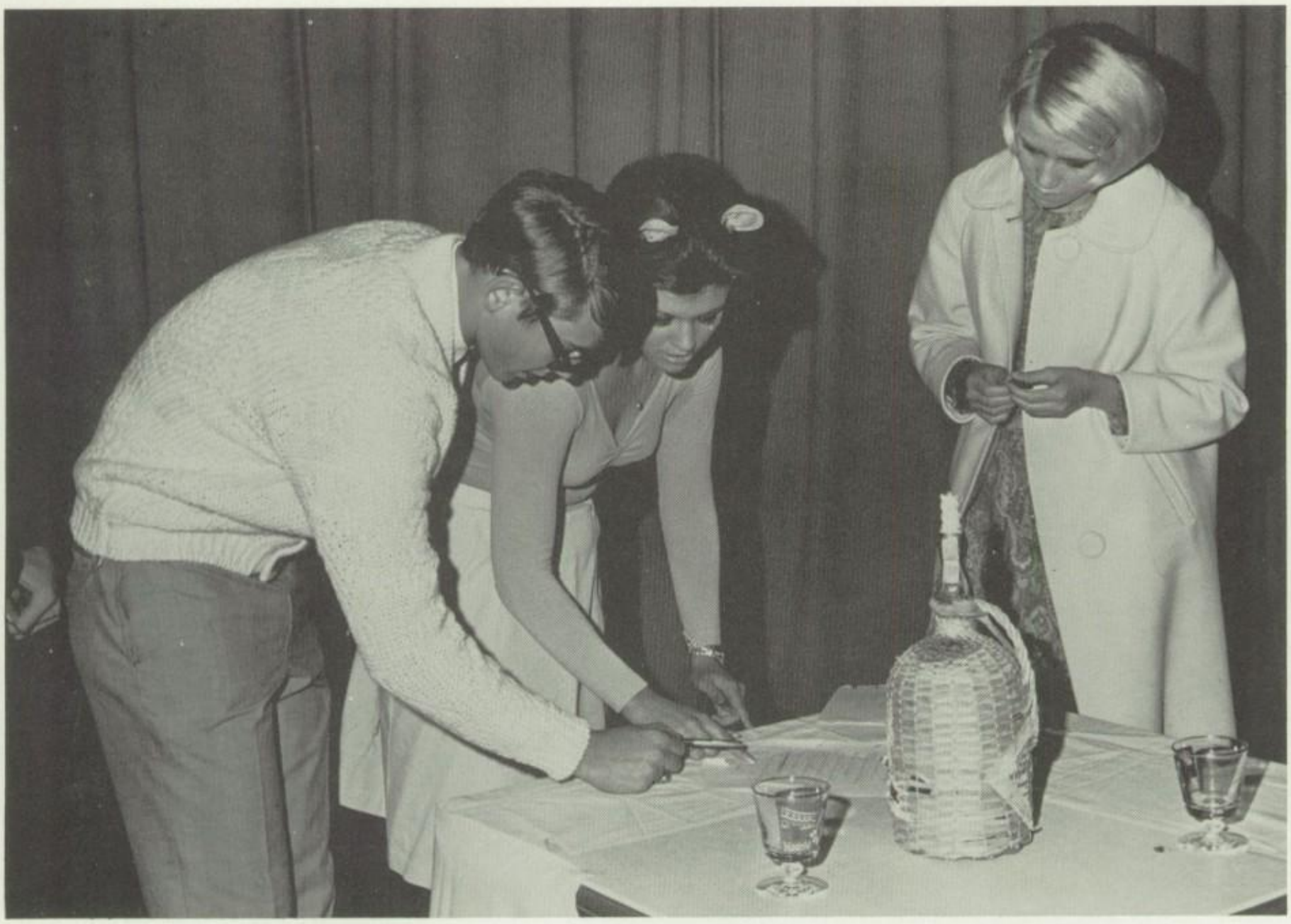
Homecoming '68 was dedicated to George Young, Silver High graduate who ran with the U.S. Olympic team. Among the activities were the parade, the game, and the dance. The Fighting Colts scored a 33-14 victory over Jesuit, and Anna Hererra was crowned Homecoming Queen.

Homecoming

The senior class offered a toast to the Fighting Colts in their entry in the Homecoming Parade.



"Miss Worm," entered by the G.A.A., showed much originality.



Planning before the show are David Laubhan, Earlyne Risinger, and Kathy Elwess.

Variety Show

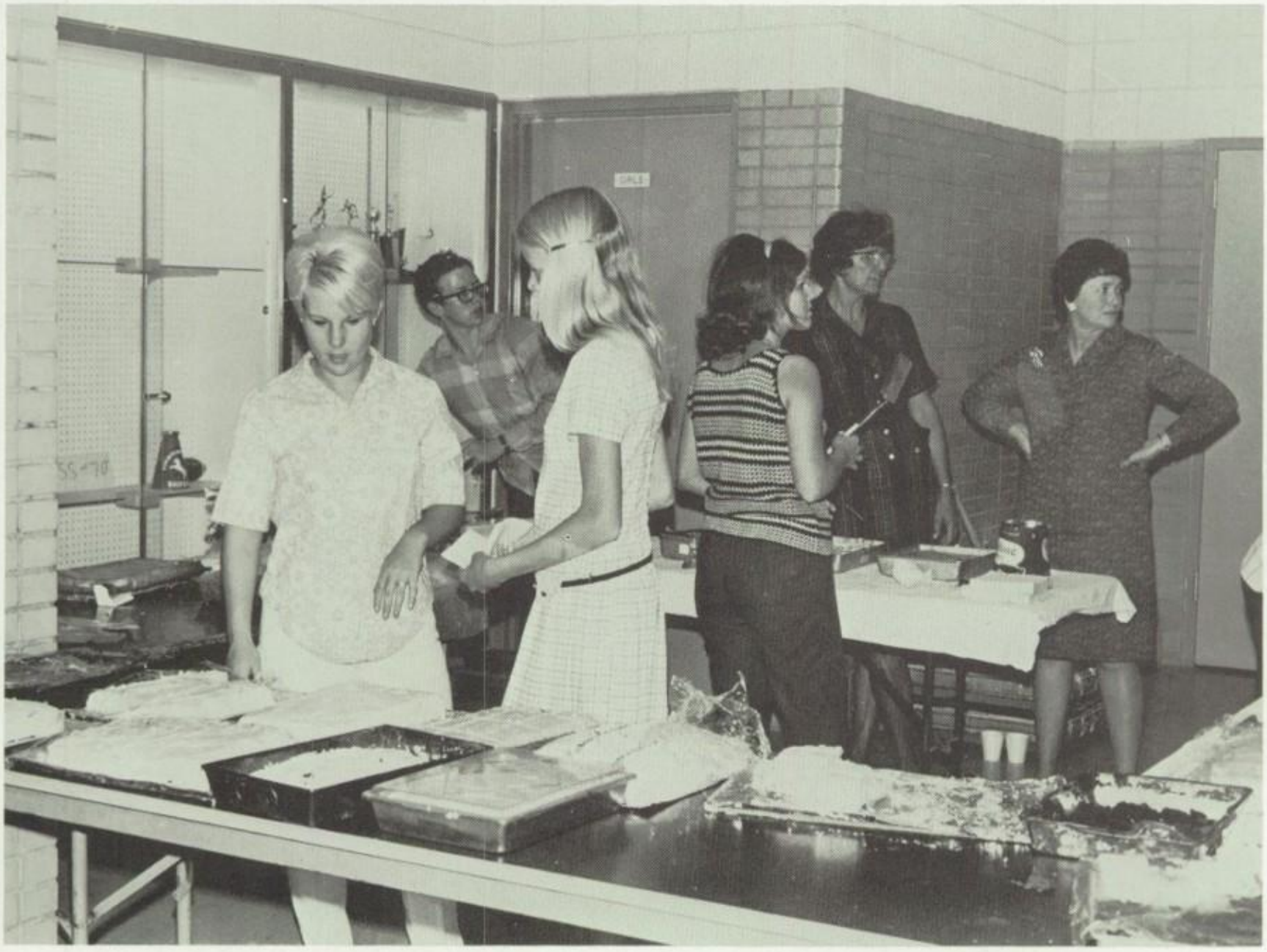
"The Pink Panther Night Club" was the theme of the 1968 variety show, which was sponsored by the Silver High Drama Club. Earlyne Risinger served as hostess for the evening, with the acts ranging from songs to dances to skits. The background for the stage featured a huge pink panther and streamers.

"Cicero, the Great" was the Drama Club's entry in the variety show. It starred Sally Simons, Steve Schadel, and Bruce Kennedy, and was directed by Marla Adkins.

Student Council Barbeque

A barbeque was held by the Student Council in November to raise money for the various organizations in the school. Each club donated food and work to help make the barbeque a success.

Peter Stemmerich and Janet Perea serve drinks at the barbeque supper.

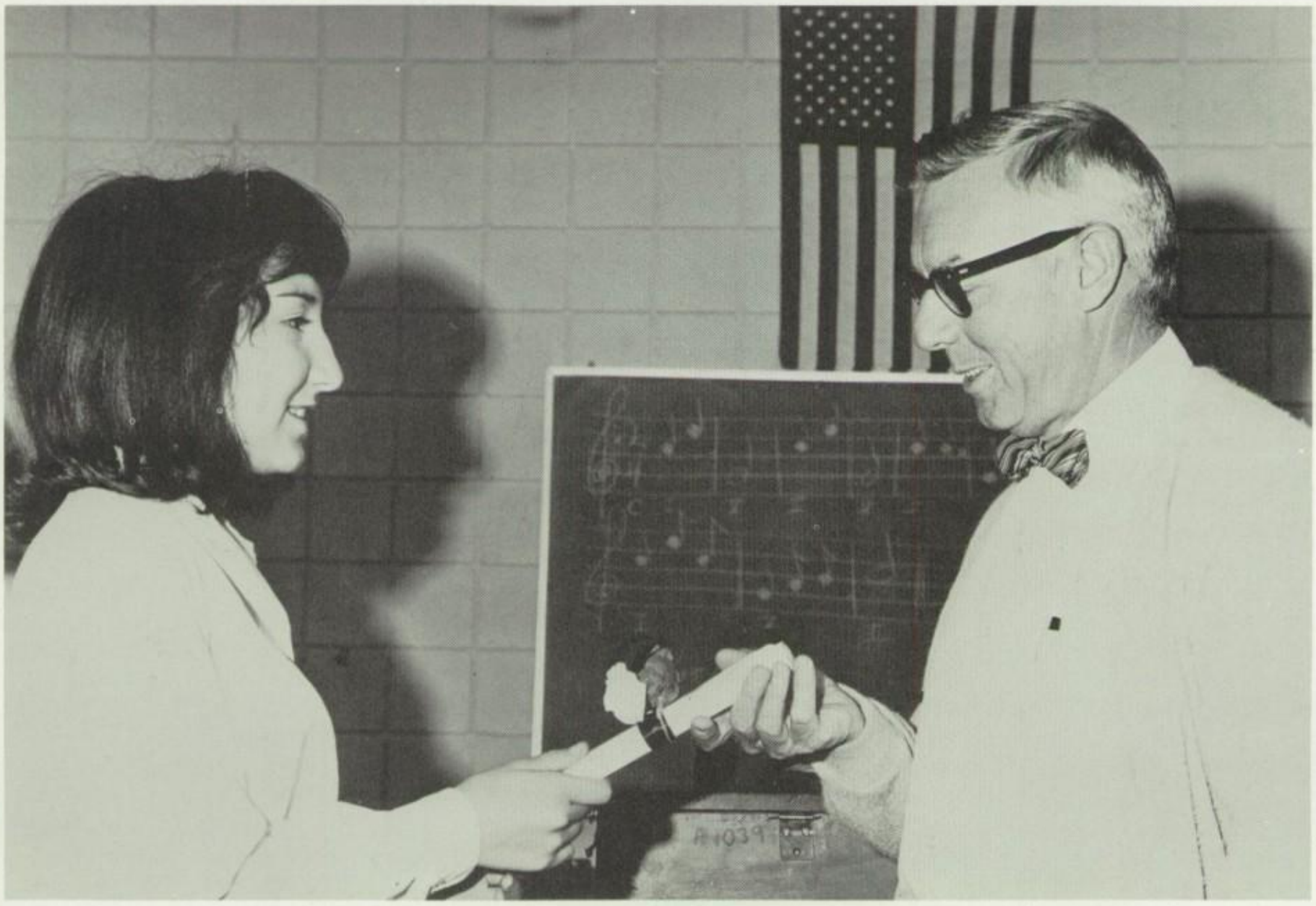


Cakes were donated by the Pep Club.

F.T.A. Honors Teachers

Members of the Future Teachers of America honored Silver High's faculty during National Education Week in November. Each teacher received a scroll with a quotation on it, and a plant was donated to beautify the faculty lounge.

Cathie Reams presents Miss Kney with a scroll as a part of National Education Week.



F.T.A. president Irma Holguin does her part to honor the faculty by presenting a scroll to Mr. Thomas.

The highlight of the band's year was a trip to El Paso to march in the Sun Carnival Parade on New Year's day. The band is shown here getting ready for the big event.

Band Marches in Sun Carnival Parade

One-Act Plays

Brenda Skeffington explains she must borrow a baby within an hour.

"A Baby for Brenda"

Brenda ..... Marla Adkins
Emma ..... Susan Morton
Zeda ..... Billie Wilson
Roger ..... Paul Maxwell
Uncle Lennie ..... Peter Stemmerich
Ella ..... Becky Smith

"Egad, What a Cad"

Constant Hope and Manly Rash make plans for their wedding.

Augustus ..... Don Hoffman
Ursula ..... Mary Osmer
Constant Hope ..... Earlyne Risinger
Manly Rash ..... Robert Lupton
Bertram Oleander ..... David Serna
Fowler ..... Judy Pearce
Millie ..... Robin Shilling

Honors

DATE
DEC. 7
DEC. 14
DEC. 21
JAN. 4
JAN 11
JAN 17
JAN 25
JAN 31
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COBRE
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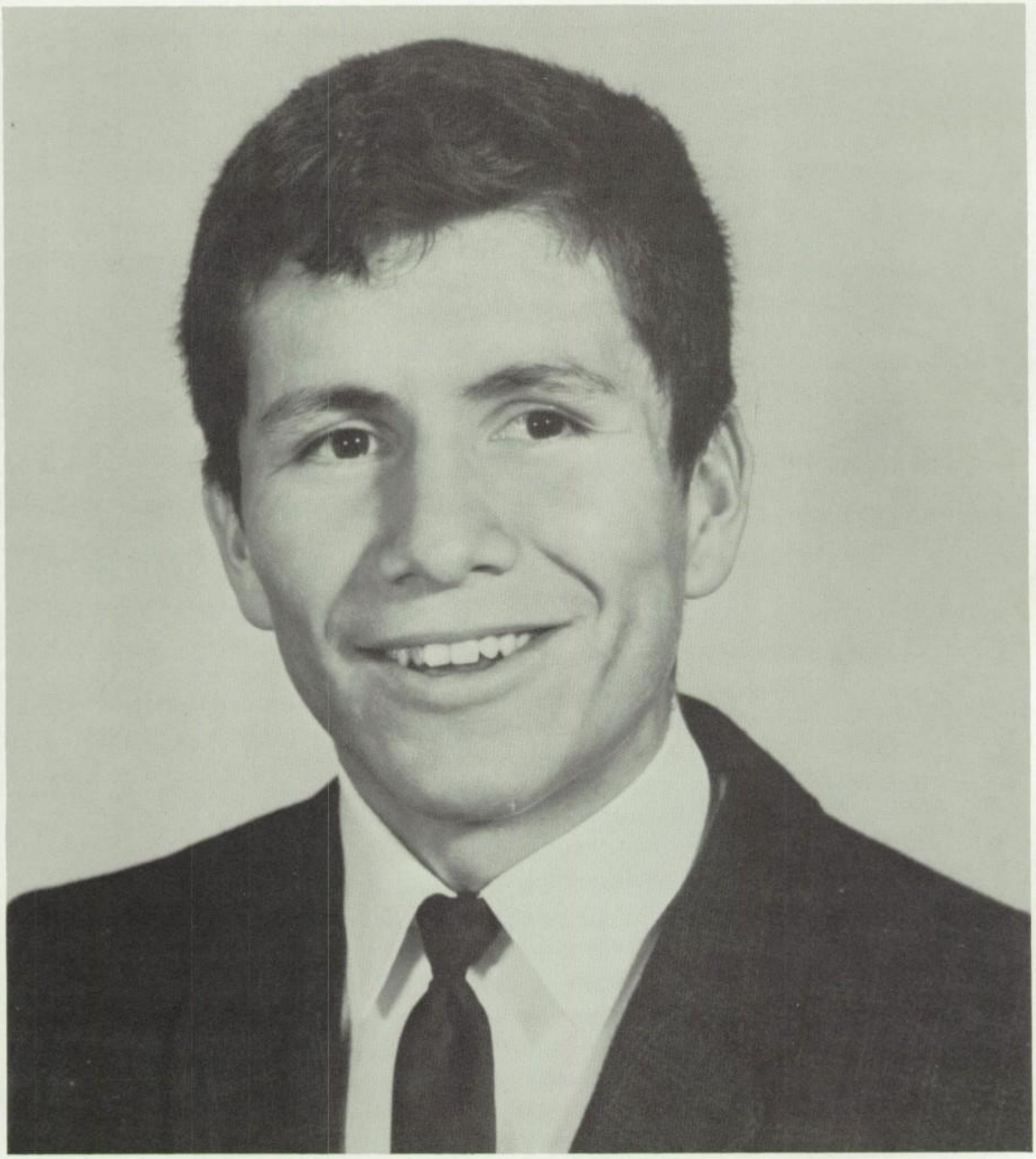
Miss S. H. S.

Anna Herrera

Mr. S. H. S.



Bobby Lopez

Most Likely to Succeed

Earlyne Risinger Bobby Lopez

Most Dependable

Peggi Smith Dusty Hunt

Most Courteous

Diana Wilmeth Peter Stemmerich

Wittiest

Earlyne Risinger Bennie Dooley

Cutest Couple

Tim Hill Jo Ann Noce

Most Talented

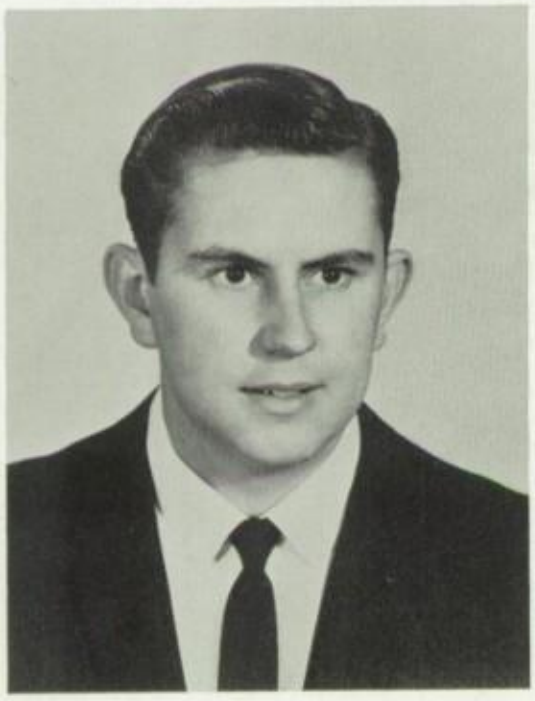
Earlyne Risinger David Barela

Awards

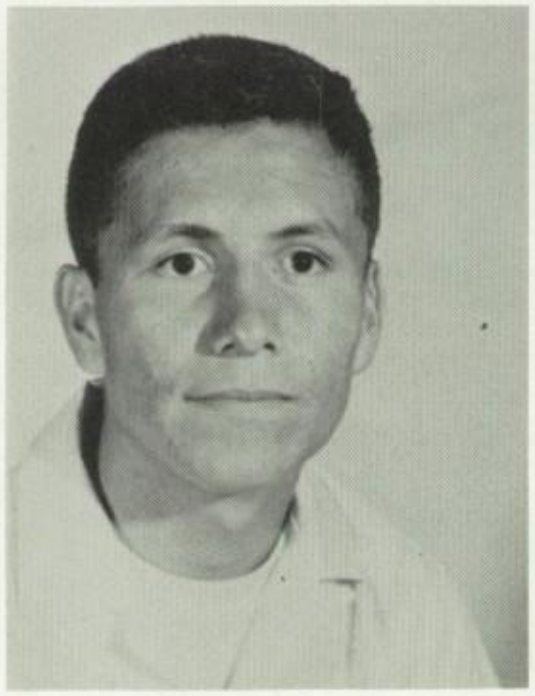
Alex Arciero
Student of the Issue

John Arellin
Student Rotarian
All State—Cross Country

Win Davis
Silver High's Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow



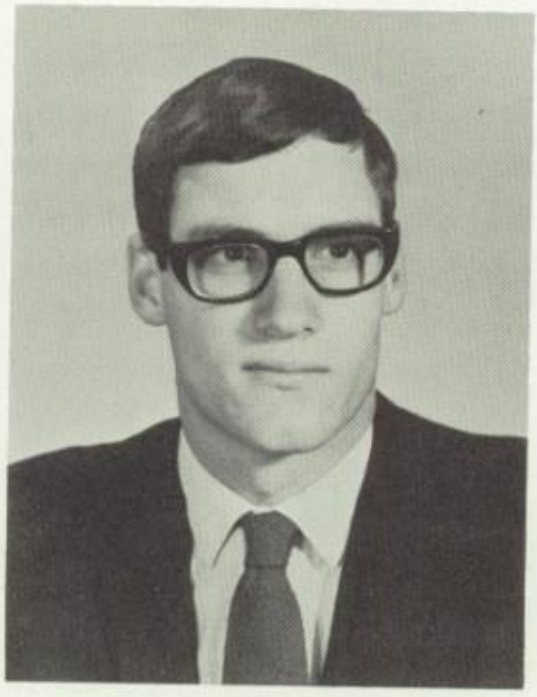
Gary Gilliland
All District Football—offensive guard



Bobby Lopez
All District Basketball
Most Valuable Player Silver High Invitational Basketball Tournament
All State—Cross Country

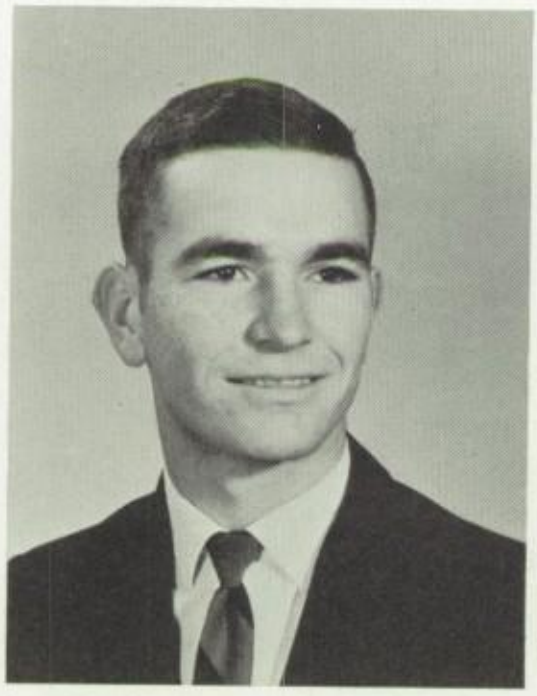
Rosemary Madrid
D. A. R. Good Citizen
Student of the Issue

Paul Maxwell
Student of the Issue

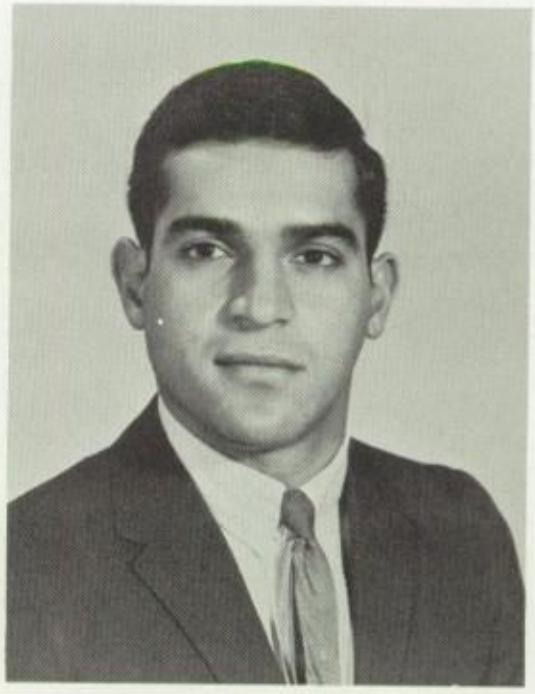


Dwight Mitchell
Student of the Issue

Bobby Morales
Honorable Mention—All District Football—linebacker
All State—Wrestling



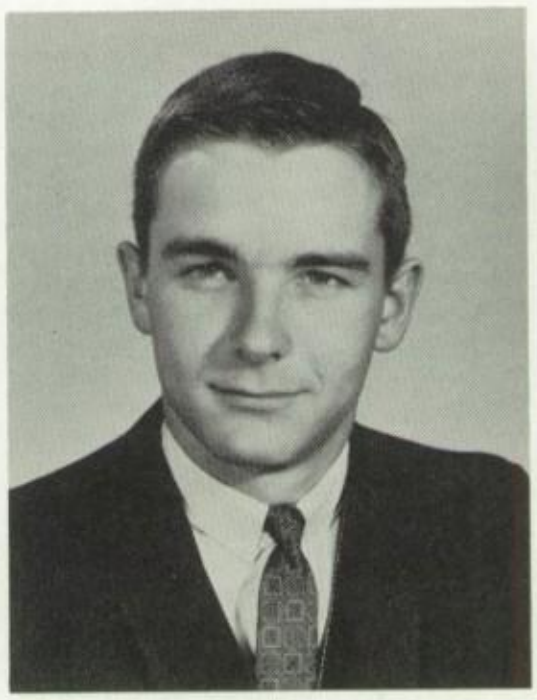
Phil Mortensen
Student Rotarian
All District Football—Defensive safety



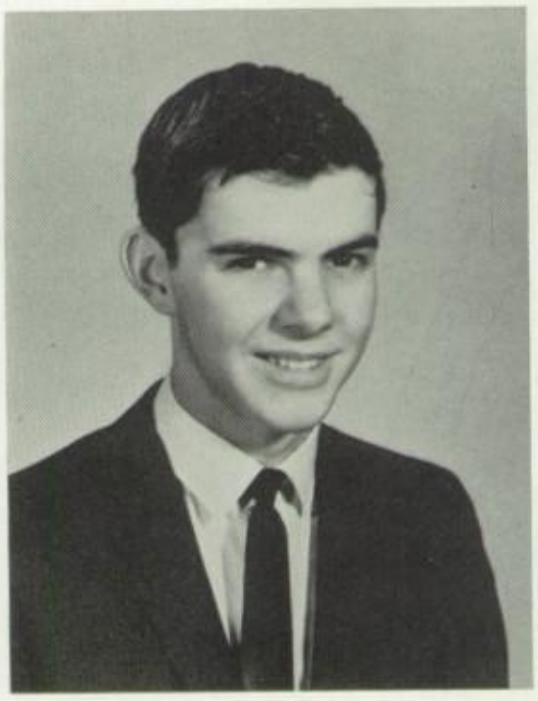
Eloy Muñoz
Student of the Issue
All District Football—offensive halfback

Achievements

Casey Parker
All District Football—offensive tackle
All State—Wrestling

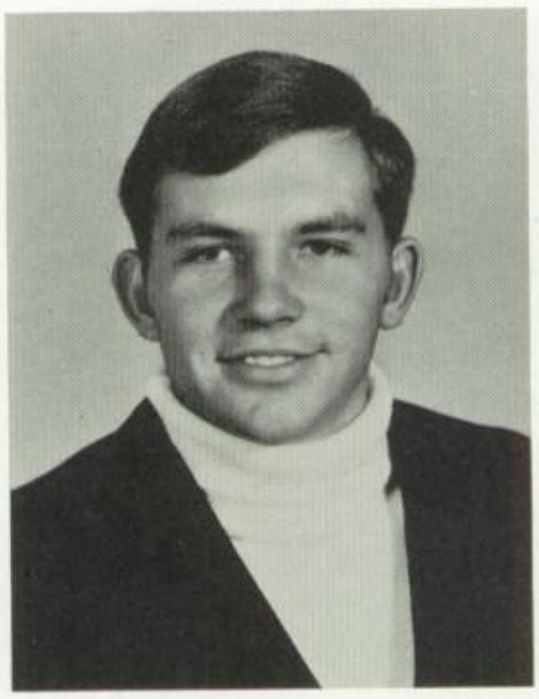


John Paterson
Honorable Mention—All District Football—defensive tackle
Runner-up—Elk's "Most Valuable Boy" Award

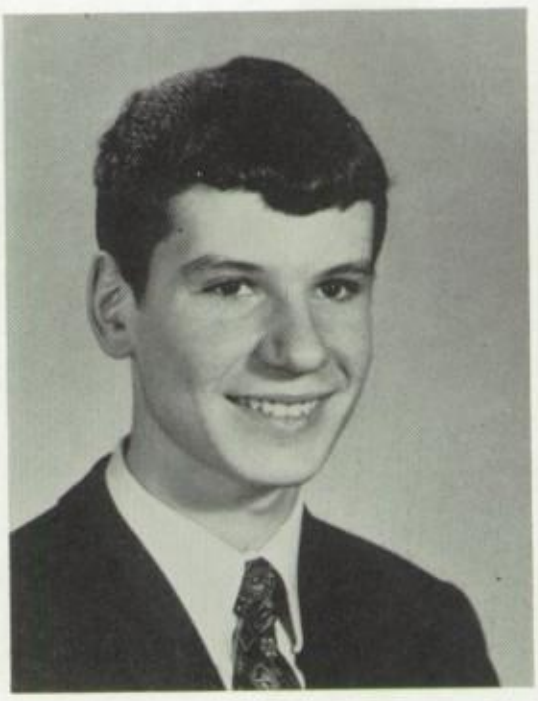


Jim Reed
Student of the Issue

Earlyne Risinger
Student of the Issue



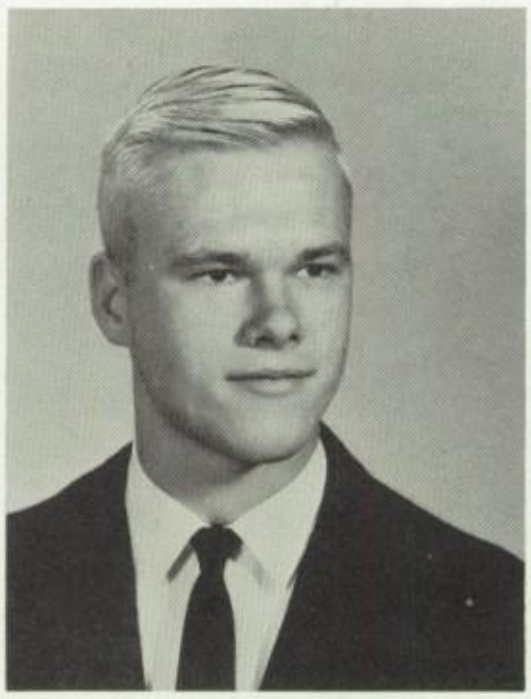
Carl Salars
All District Football—defensive end and Honorable mention—full back



Peter Stemmerich
Student Rotarian

With Honor Comes Responsibility

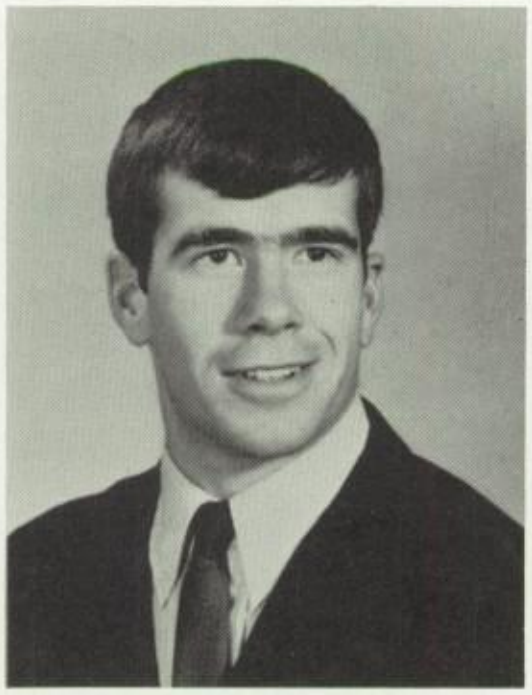
Donna Tedford
Student of the Issue



Charles Thomas
Student of the Issue

Pete Wayne
All State—Wrestling

Diana Wilmeth
Student of the Issue

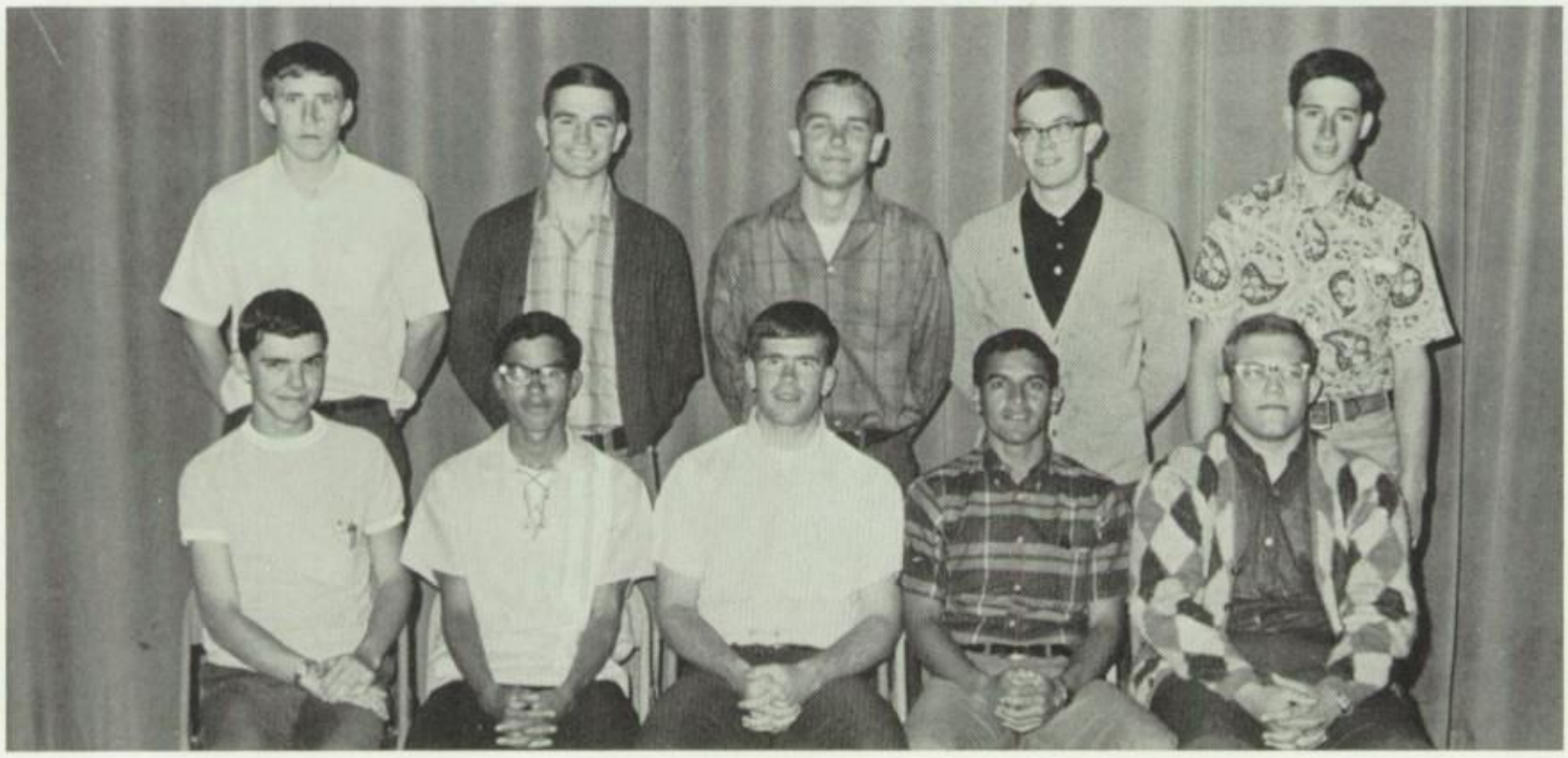


Steve Wilmeth
Student of the Issue
Student Rotarian

Not Pictured:
Fred Baca—All State—cross country
Zeke Chavez—All State—cross country
Robert Delgado—All State—cross country
Gilbert Garcia—All District Football—defensive guard
Paul Pickett—All State—Wrestling
Mike Placencio—All State—cross country

Henry Griswold – Optimist Award - outstanding stude

Standing L. to R.—Cathy Collard, Rosemary Madrid, Kathy Gregory. Seated L. to R.—Janet Perea, Becky Smith, Anna Herrera.



Standing L. to R.—Tim Hill, Phil Mortensen, John Paterson, Doug Dinwiddie, John Walsh. Seated L. to R.—Jim Reed, John Arellin, Steve Wilmeth, Eloy Munoz, Casey Parker.

Boy- and Girl-Stater's 1968

All State Chorus

Back, L. to R.—Brett Moore, Alex Arciero, David Serna, David Barela. Middle, L. to R.—Bickie Battishill, Sherry Lane, Tina Graham, Donna Tedford. Front, L. to R.—Jo Pruit, Shirley Lowry, Melody Wayne, Kathy Hunt.

Homecoming

Queen Anna Herrera and escort Mr. Thomas Foy

Senior Princess: Kathy Gregory

Escort: Lee Vesley

Junior Princess: Nancy Reed

Escort: Paul Wygant

Sophomore Princess: Mona Roberson

Escort: Dave Rydeski

Prom 1969

Queen Anna Herrera

Prom Court
Senior Princesses

Rosemary Madrid

Jo Ann Noce

Junior Princess

Jo Pruit

Nancy Reed

Class Favorites

Senior Class

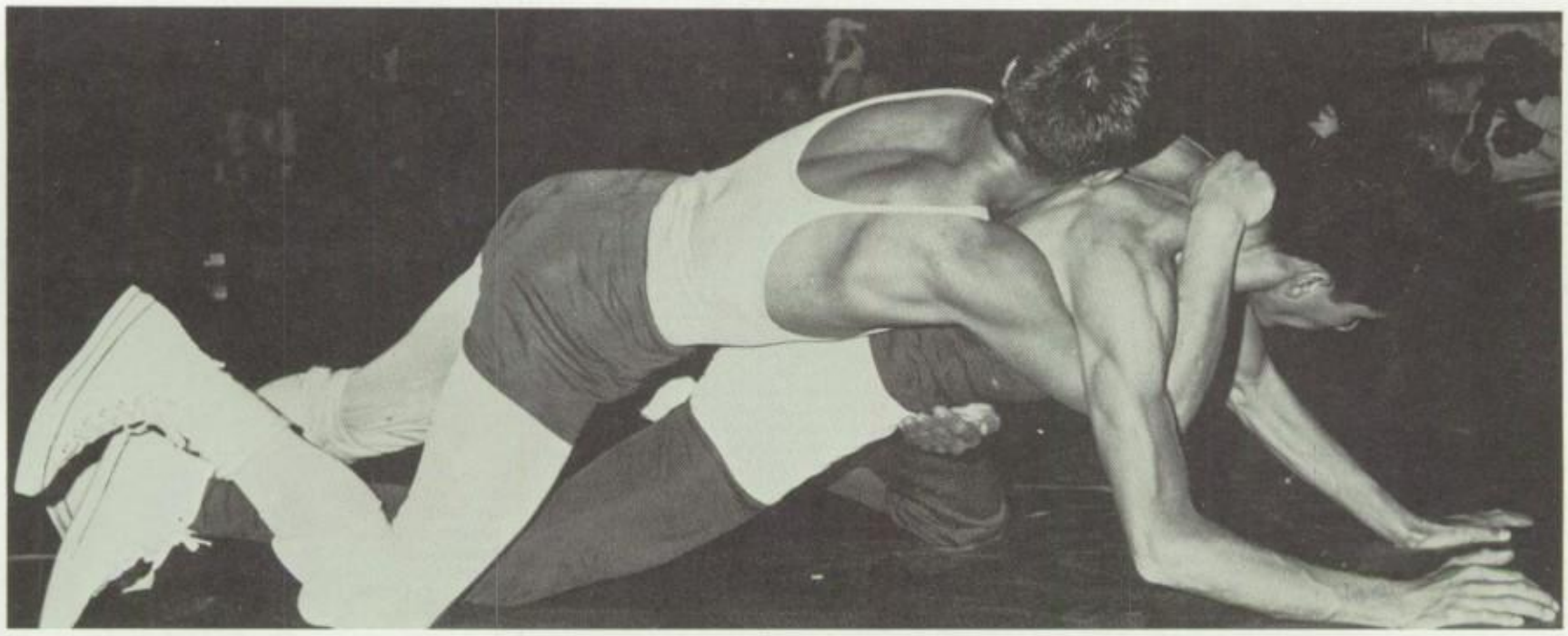
Anna Herrera Bobby Lopez

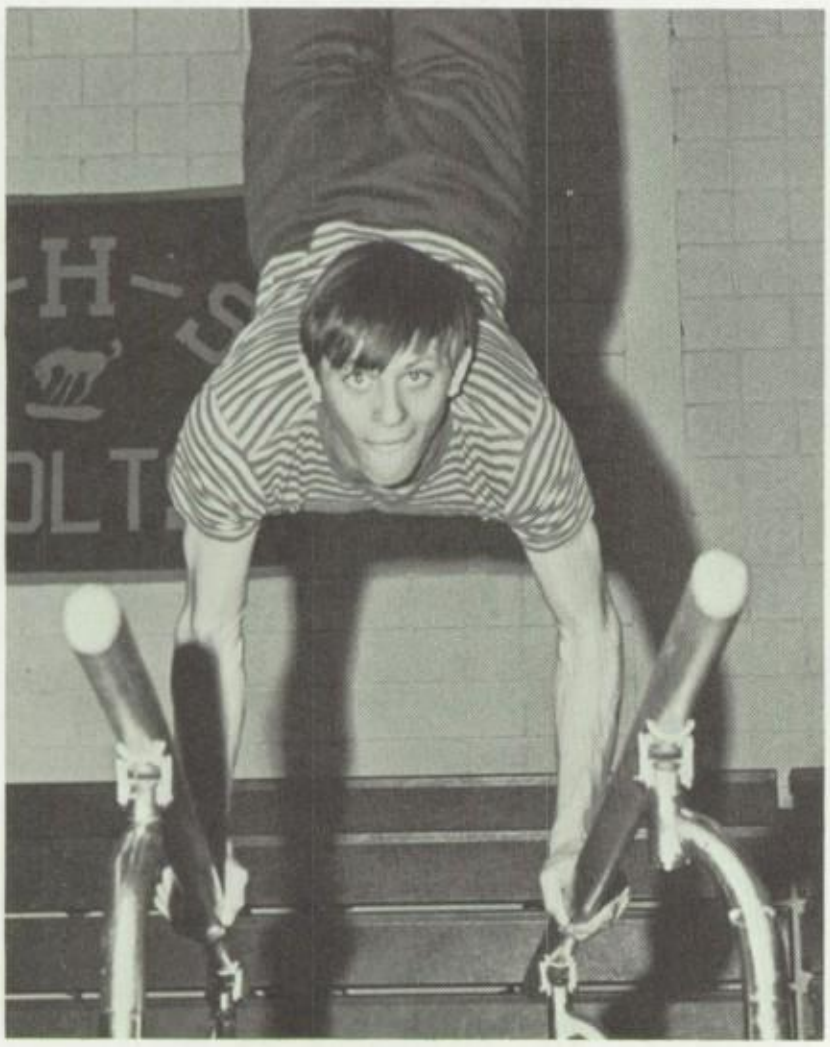
Junior Class

Nancy Reed Bennie Dooley

Sophomore Class

Nancy Powe Alfred Lopez





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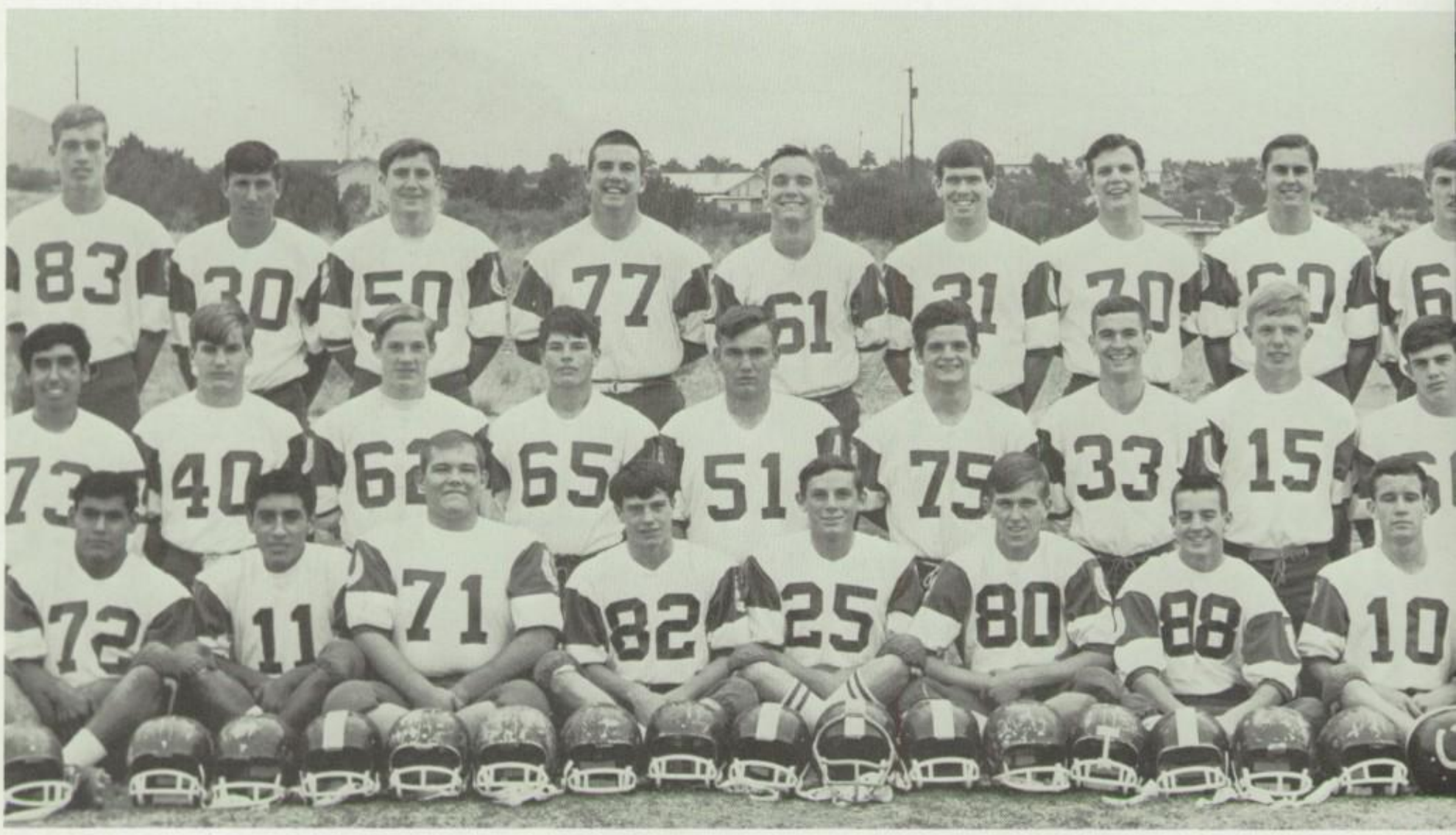
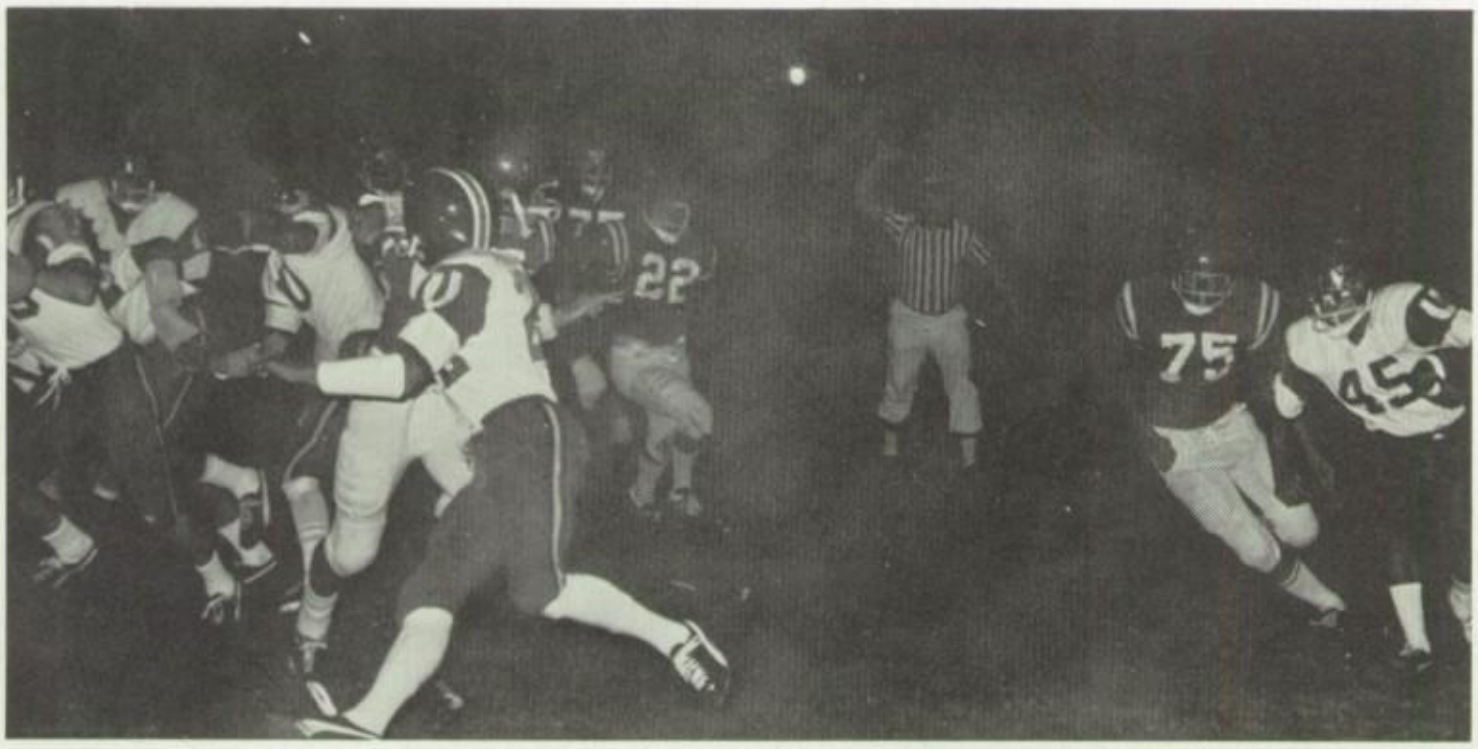
Varsity Football



Front row; left to right: Gilbert Garcia, Bobby Triviso, Casey Parker, Pete Wayne, Benny Dooley, Frank Harrison, Rick Hendrix, Mike Redwine, Carl Salars, Cecil Boyett. Second Row: Andrew Escudero, Allen Turbyfill, Paul Pickett, Gary Gibbs, John White, Dale Kelly, Phil Mortensen, Jono Anderson, Mark Chintis, Jimmy Sierra, Tony Trujillo. Third Row: Mike Medford, Alfred Lopez, Tim Hill, Dave Brown, John Patterson, Steve Wilmeth, Jon Parker, Gary Gililand, Don Christianson, Frank Ogas, Bobby Morales.

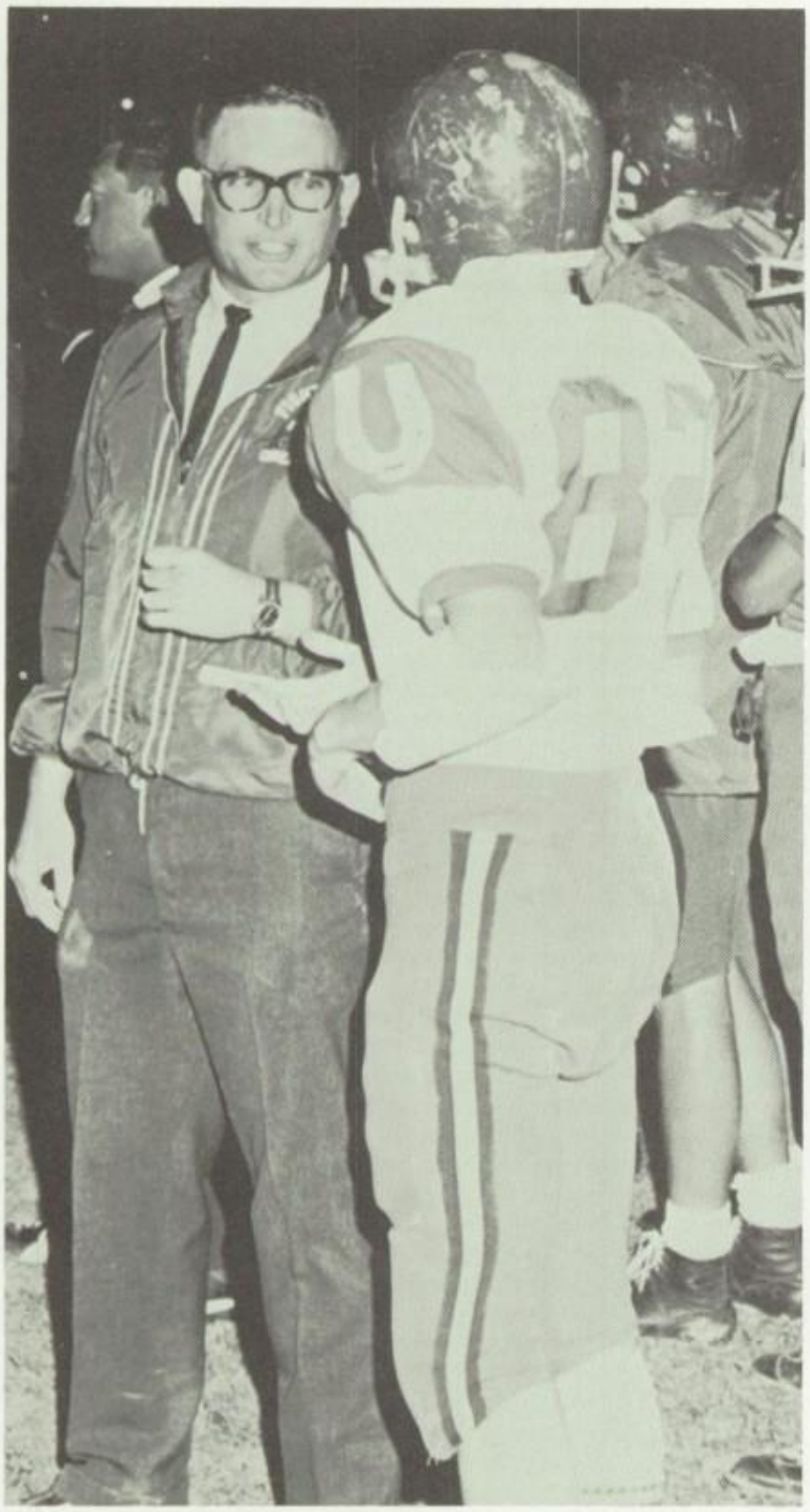


All-District running back Eloy Munoz eludes an opponent's Tackle and goes for a touchdown.

Fighting Colt Co-Captains Steve Wilmeth and Carl Salars.

Surrounded by Fighting Colt ironmen, Deming back No. 32 runs in an attempted touchdown.

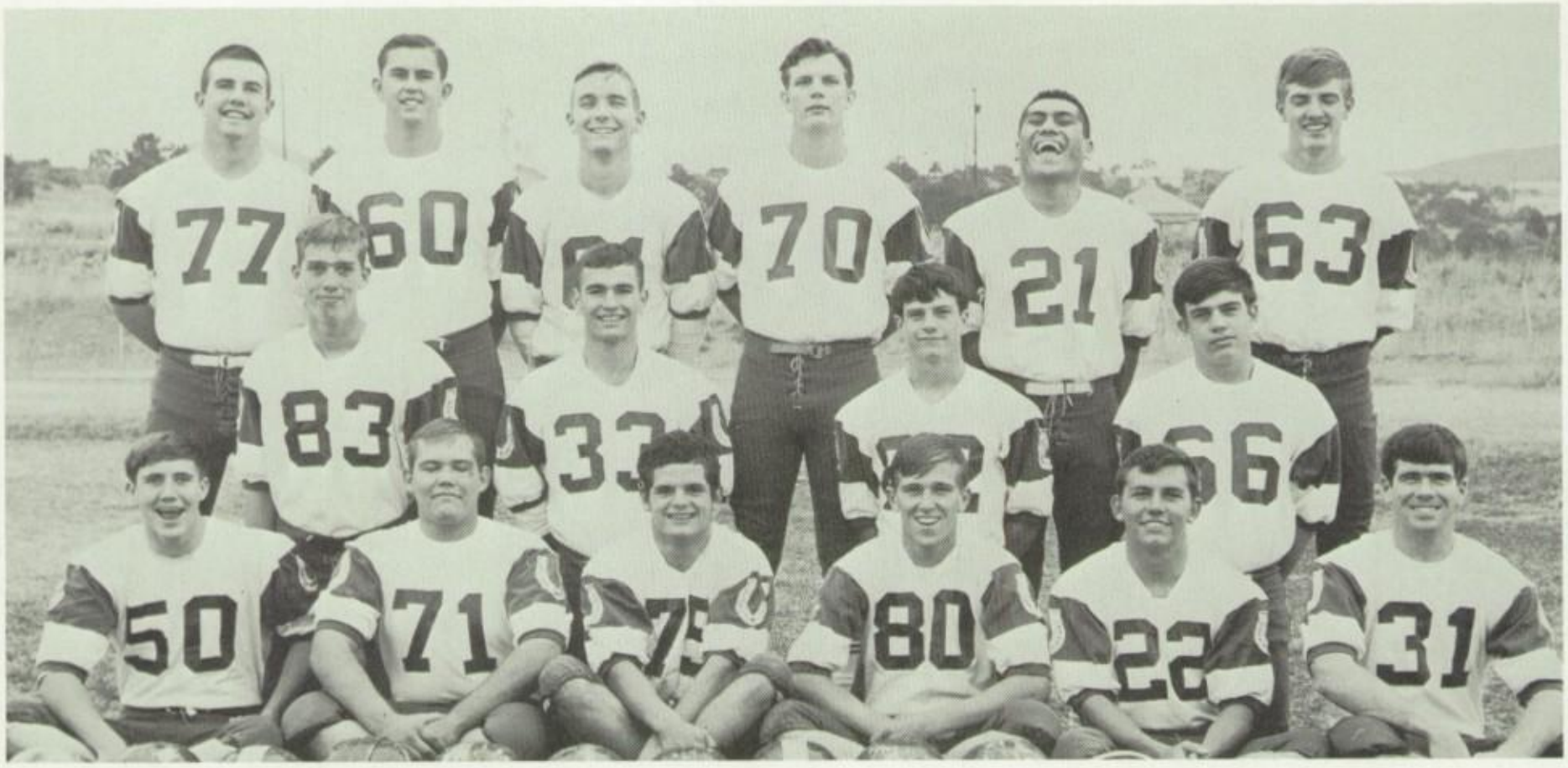
Fighting Colt coaches Gerald Garret and Bob Ruiz.



Coach Garret gives advice to Pete Wayne so that the Fighting Colts can score again.

Sophomore quarterback Mike Redwine punts the pigskin out of trouble.

Senior star Carl Salars sweeps left end for still more Colt yardage.

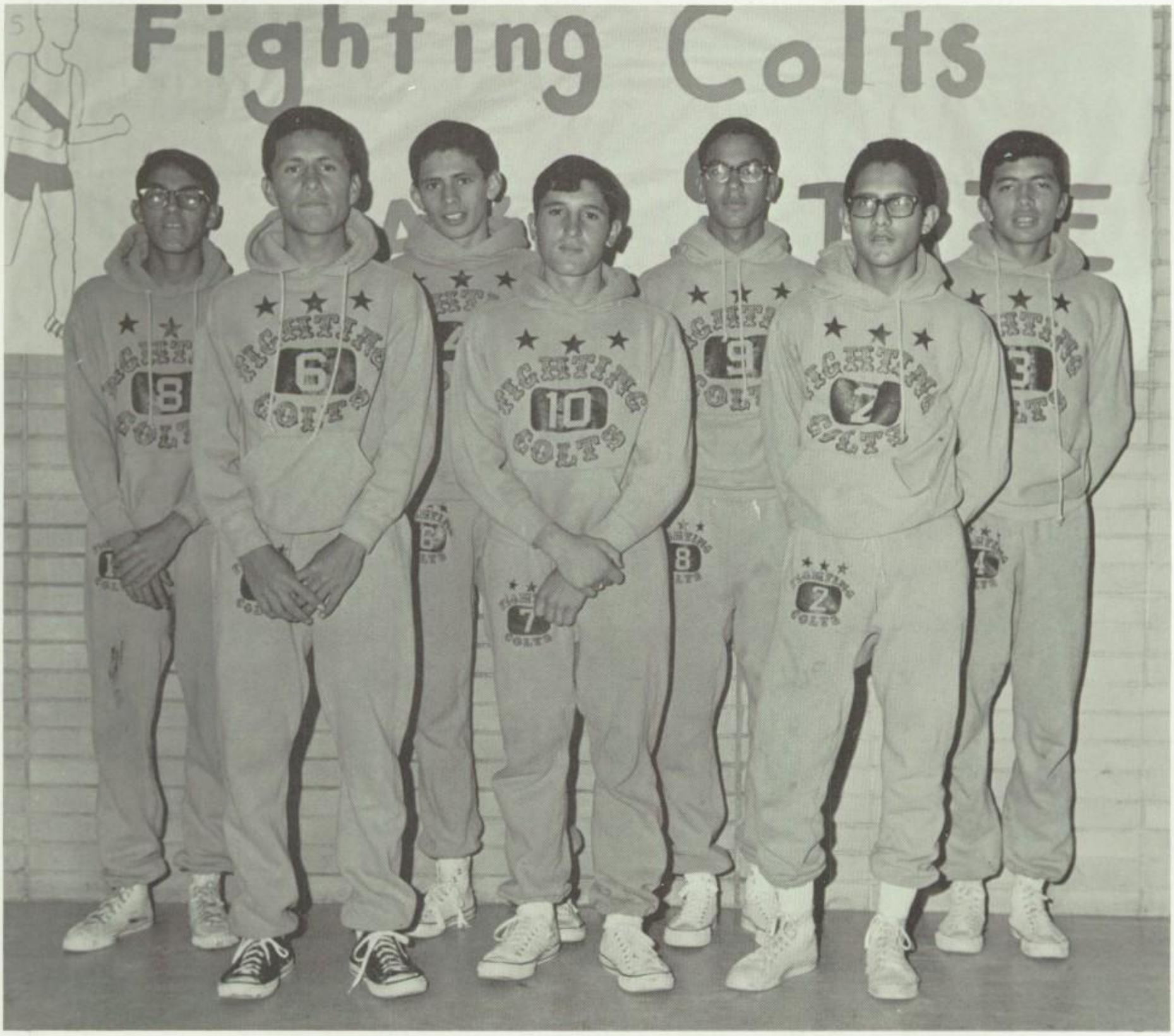


Varsity Football Seniors. First Row; Left to Right: Tim Hill, Casey Parker, Dale Kelly, Frank Harrison, Carl Salars, Steve Wilmeth. Second Row: Mike Medford, Phil Mortensen, Pete Wayne, Mark Chintis. Third Row: Dave Brown, Gary Gilliland, John Paterson, John Parker, Bobby Morales, Don Christianson.

B-Team Football. First Row; Left to Right: Craig Brook, Rick Hendix, Don Brooks, Albert Arsola, James Palcios, Tony Trujillo, Jimmy Sierra. Second Row: John Reynolds, David Pedroza, John Bayless, Kim Smith, Ricky Valenzuela, Andrew Escudero, Don Christianson, Gary Christianson. Third Row: Coach Bill Wilson, Carlos Pacheco, Richard Munoz, Craig Cooper, Tiny Luna, Paul Pickett, John Anderson, Allen Turbyfill, Tim Hill.

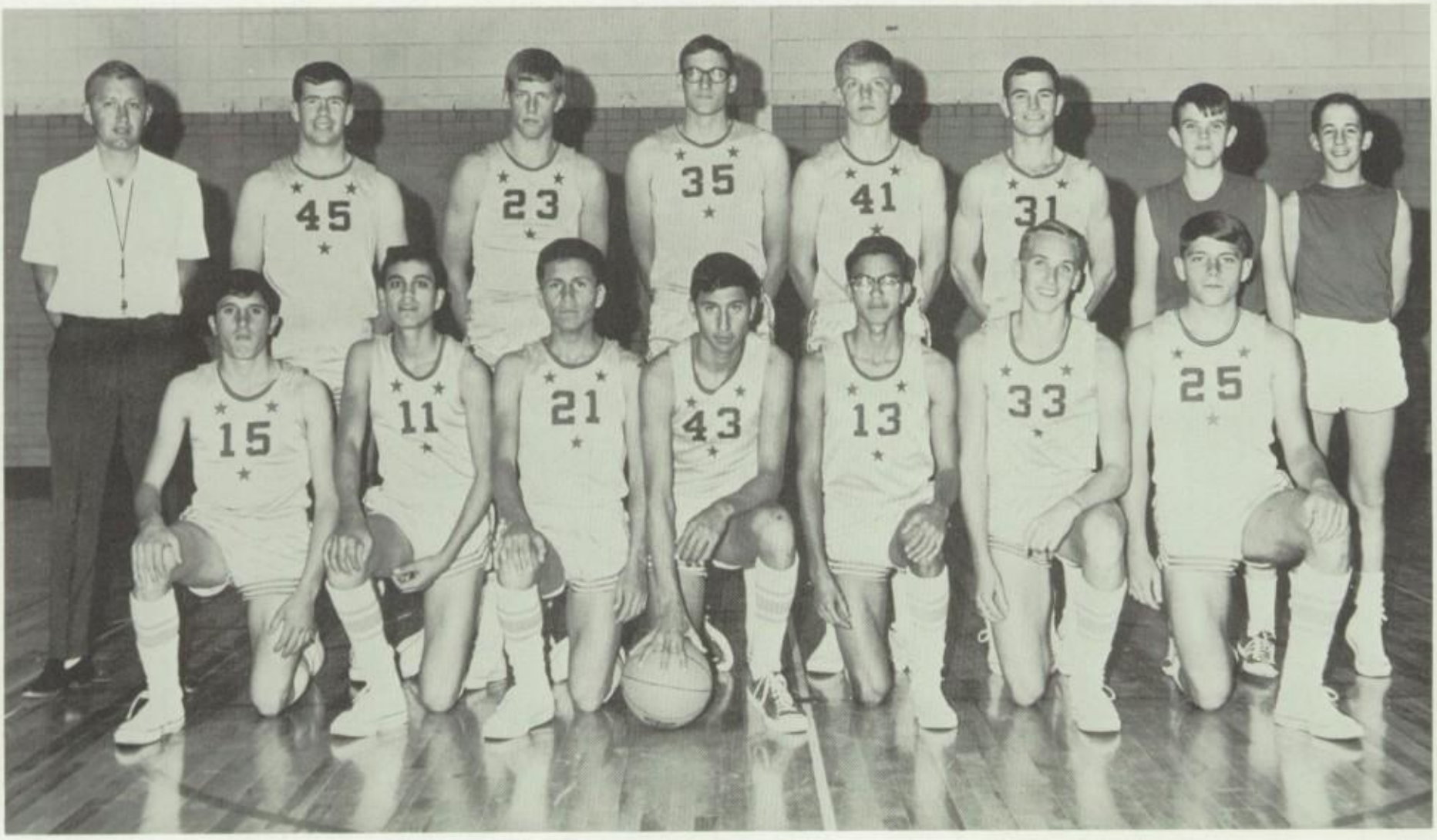
Cross Country

This years Cross Country Team has put in many hours of hard work and practice; and has given Silver High School one of the best teams in the State.



Front Row; Left to Right: Bobby Lopez, Zeke Chavez, Manny Arsola. Second Row: Fred Baca, Robert Delgado, John Arellin

Varsity Basketball



First row; left to right: Zeke Chavez, Felix Ortega, Bobby Lopez, Alfred Lopez, John Arellin, Craig Lovett, Dave Brandt. Second row; Coach Sanders, Steve Wilmeth, Sam Binder, Dwight Mitchell, Jono Anderson, Phil Mortensen, Manager Woody Schmitt, Manager Bill Ashcraft. Not Pictured: Statistician Jim Reed.

"FIGHTING COLTS"

The colts have just won the Silver Invitational on the strength of a jump shot by Jono Anderson with seven seconds remaining on the clock.

Jono Anderson evades an opponent, and heads for Silver's basket.

Scores

Silver	68	Tularosa	39
Silver	63	T or C	64
Silver	49	Las Cruces	63
Silver	71	Jesuit	61
Silver	58	T or C	71
Silver	54	Cathedral	48
Silver	52	Cliff	53
Silver	58	Cliff	37
Silver	68	T or C	62
Silver	52	Cobre	51
Silver	45	Mayfield	64
Silver	54	Deming	60
Silver	40	Cathedral	44
Silver	57	Gadsden	48
Silver	69	Lordsburg	67
Silver	39	Cobre	50
Silver	44	Jesuit	48
Silver	62	Deming	63
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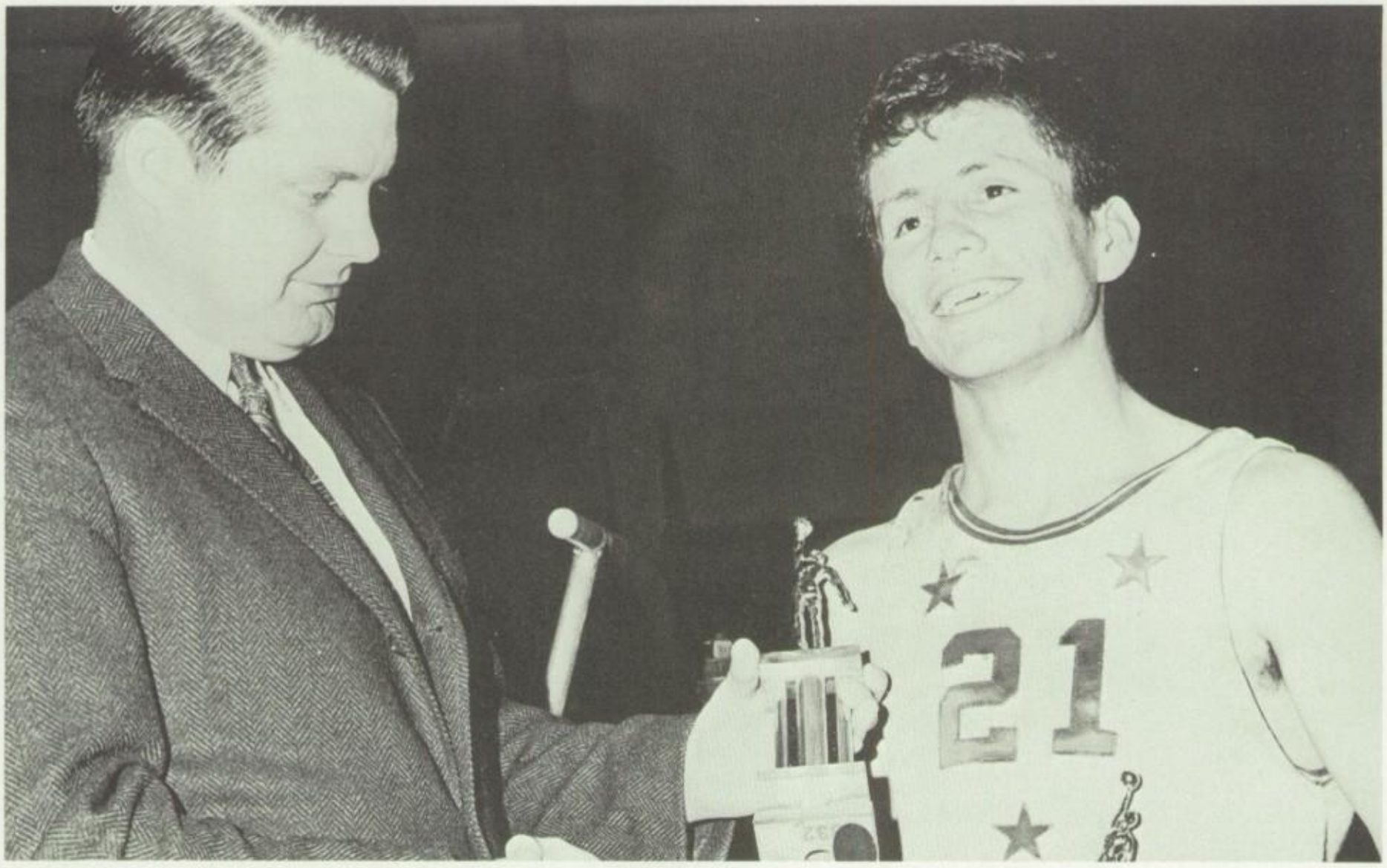
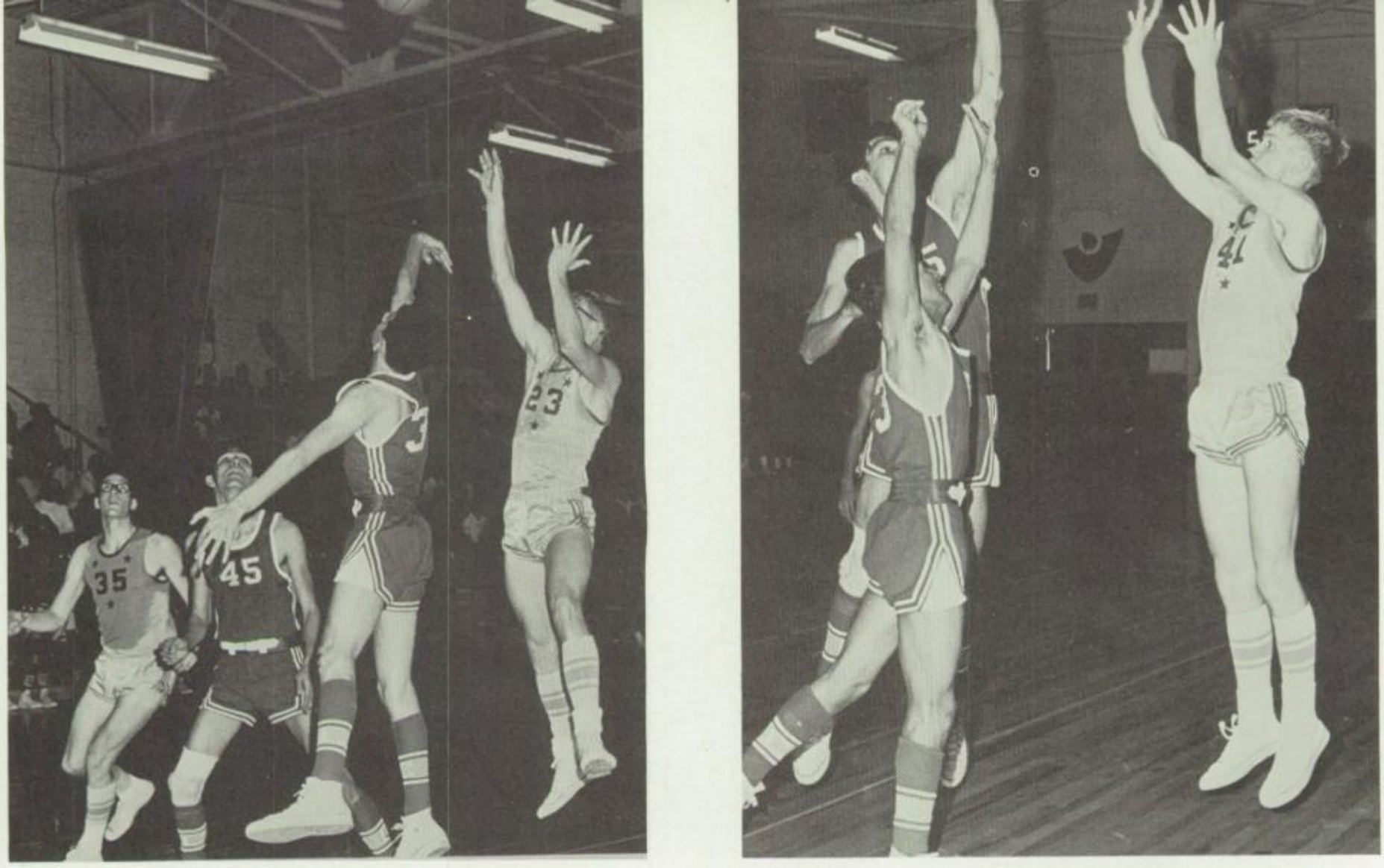
Silver	82	Cliff	40
Silver	101	Lordsburg	58
Silver	44	Gadsden	54



Bobby Lopez received the most valuable player award after the "Fighting Colt" Invitational Tournament.

Many thanks to Coach Garrett and Coach Ruiz for their assistance during Basketball season.

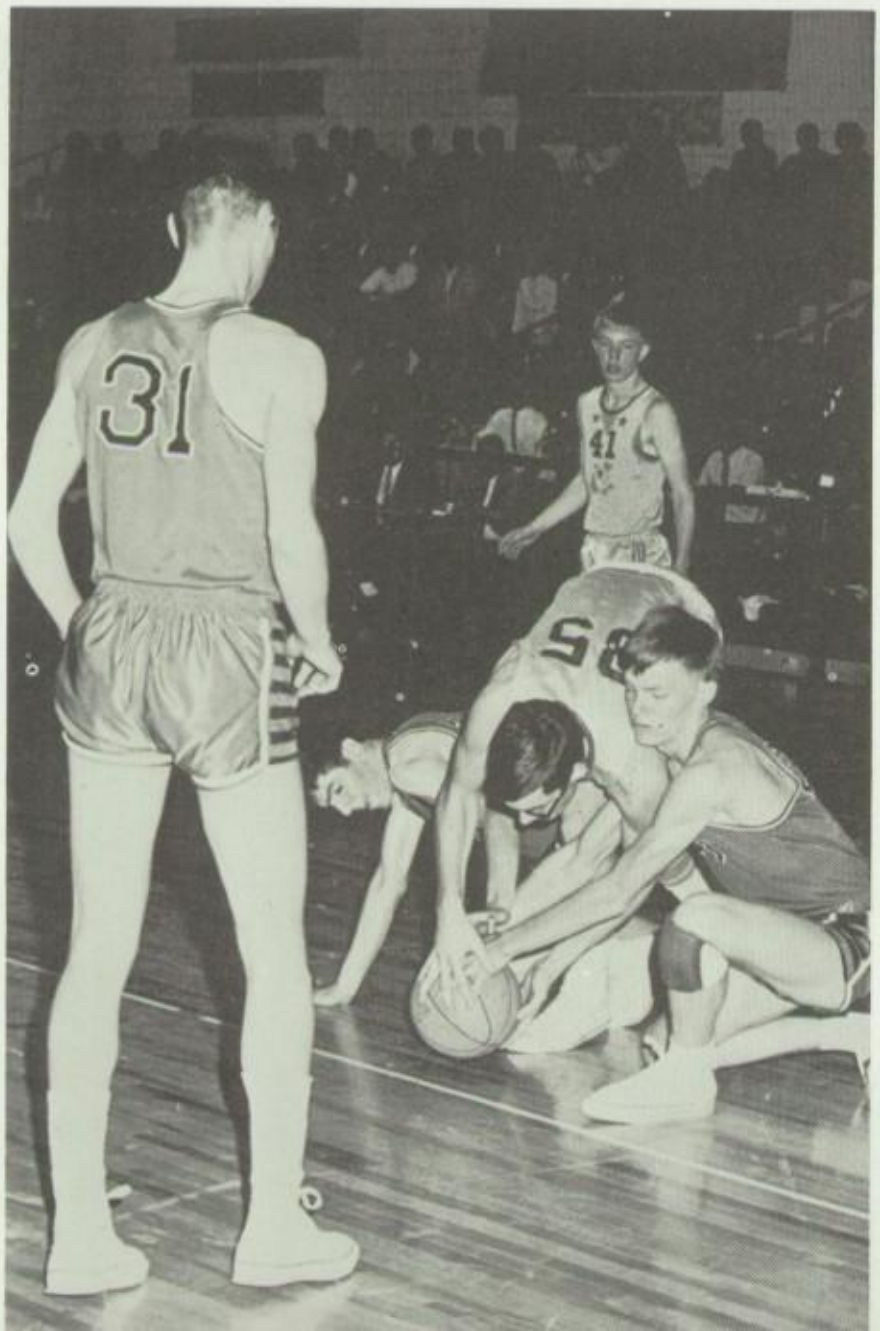


Senior Sam Binder and Sophomore Jono Anderson gun for a pair each against Cobre.

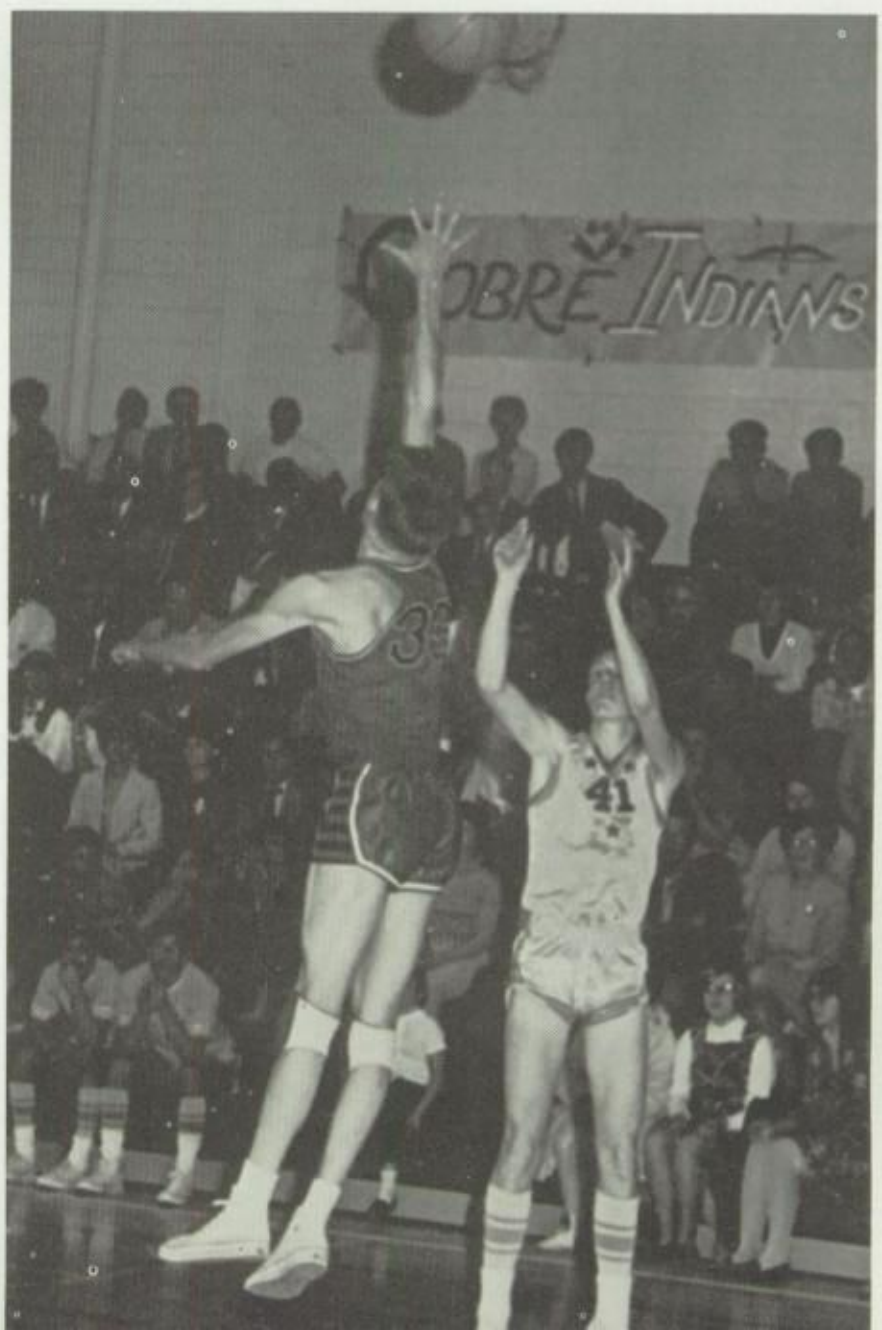
Dwight "Bear" Mitchell was also named to the all tournament team.

Phil Mortensen drives around a Mitchell pick to lay the ball up and, of course, in.

Pride-Hustle-Desire, as Dwight Mitchell dives for a loose ball.



Sophomore sensation John Anderson shoots for two more as the colts route Cliff.



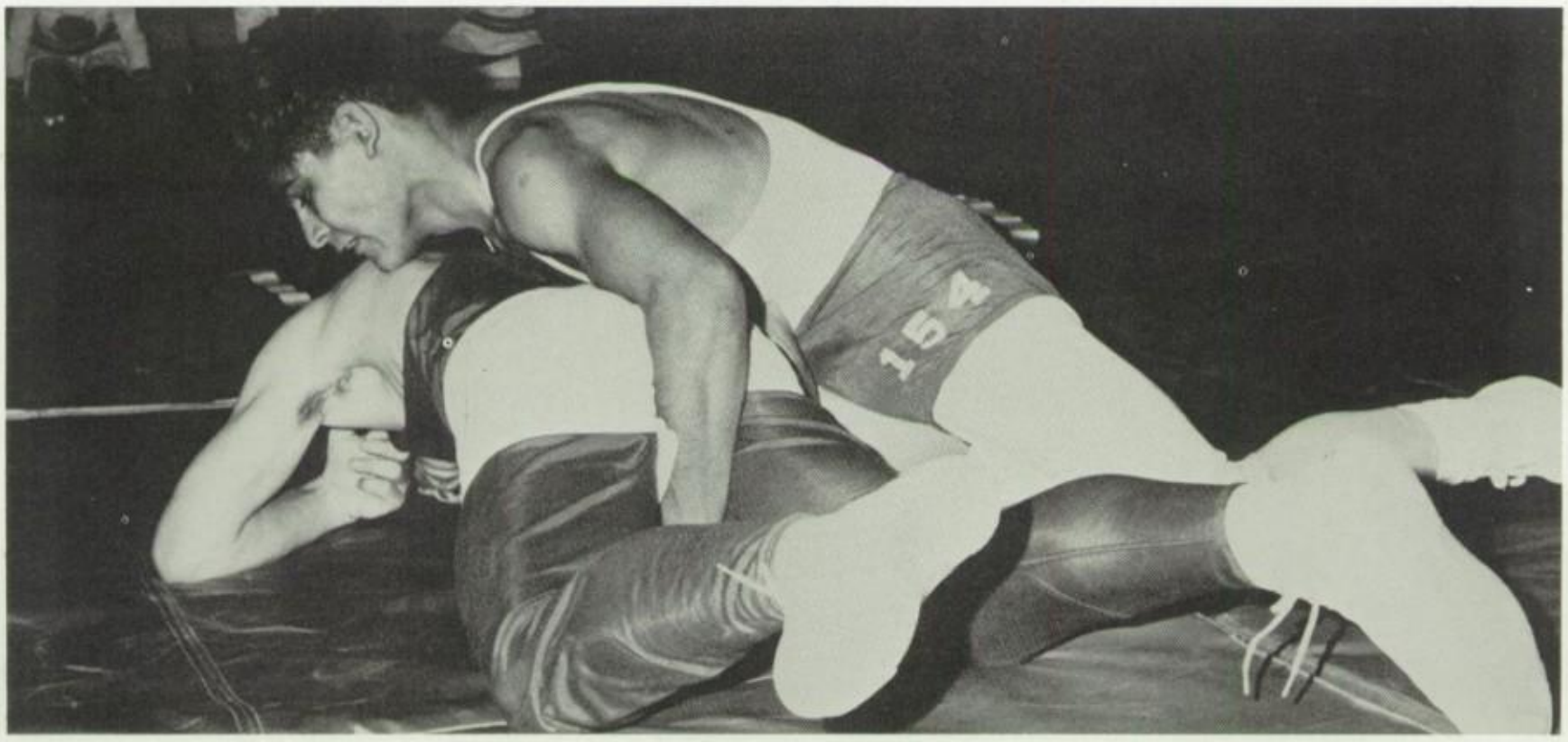
Junior Varsity and C-Teams

First row, Left to Right: Mike Placencia, Danny Murillo, Howard Wallin, Rick Hendrix, John Bayless, Scott Hill, Bobby Triviso, Manny Arsola. Second row: Manager Craig Brooke, Tony Trujillo, John Davis, Mark Glenn, Donny Martin, Steve Aguirre, Frank Silva, Rudy Flores, Coach Roth.

First row, Left to Right: Danny Murillo, Johnny Baca, Richard Munoz, Eddie McDonald. Second row: Coach Carrillo, Mike Placencio, Don Brooks, James Arellin, Allen Turbyfill. Not Pictured: Kim Smith.

Wrestling

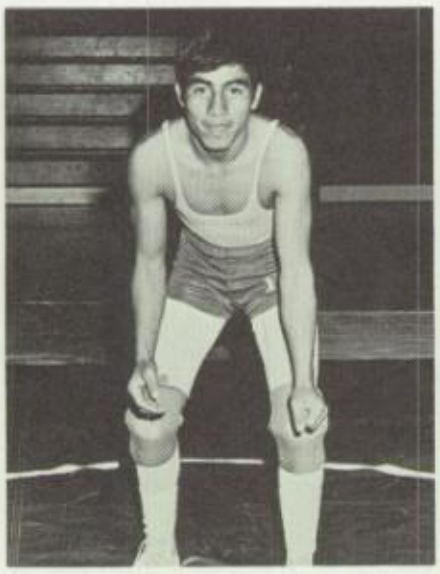
First row; left to right: Eloy Muniz, Bobby Morales, Jimmie Sierra, Pete Wayne, Adolfo Arellano, Frank Estrada, Andrew Escudero, Cecil Boyett. Second row: Coach Bill Wilson, Hal Billings, Danny Arsola, Dusty Hunt, Paul Pickett, Gilbert Garcia, Mike Alderette, Casey Parker, Alfred Correa, Manager.



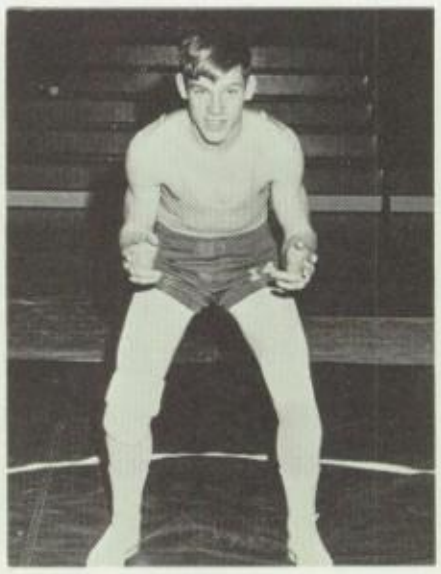
Gilbert Garcia gets ready to craddle an Indian onto his back.

Varsity Wrestlers

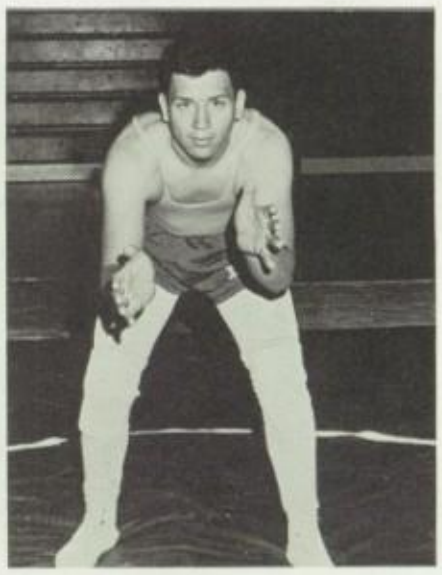
Frank Estrada: 112 lbs.



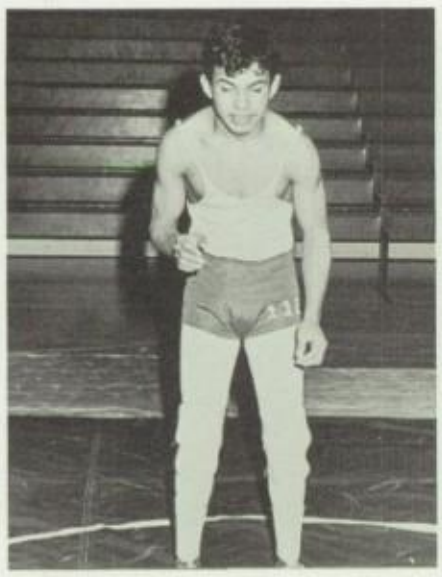
Jimmie Sierra: 127 lbs.



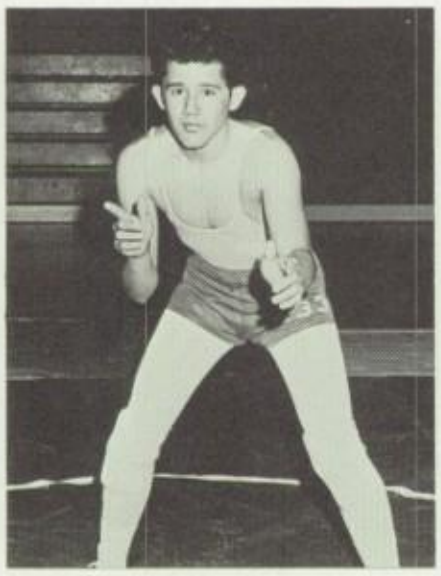
Paul Pickett: 145 lbs.



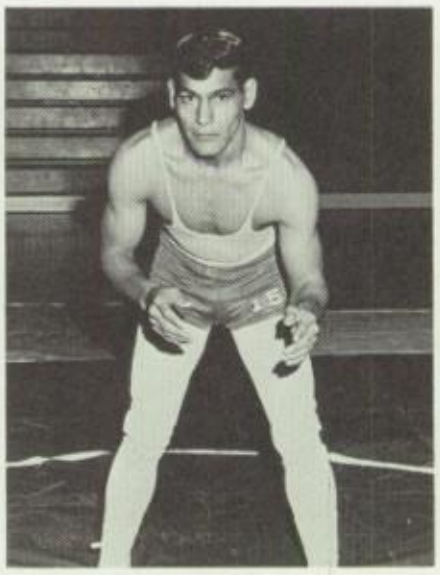
Mike Alderette: 175 lbs.



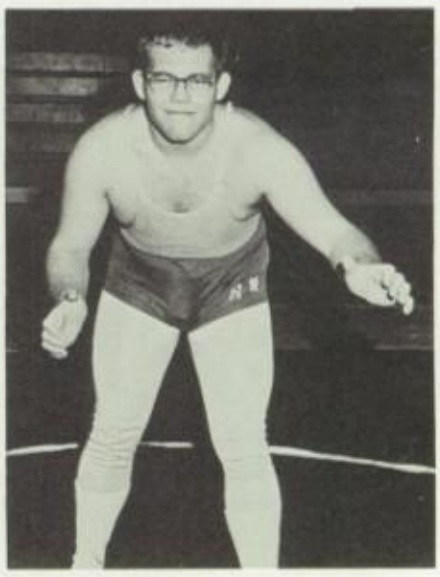
Adolfo Arellano: 112 lbs.



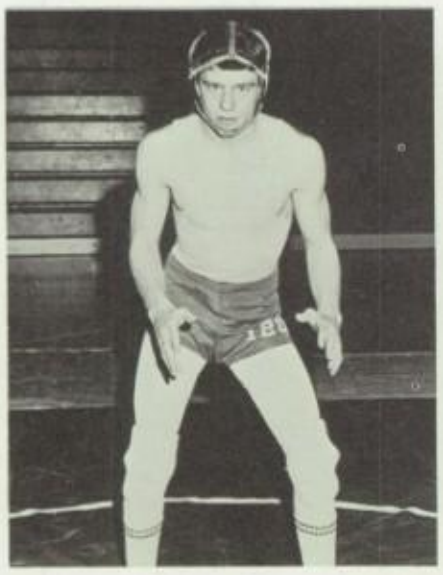
Danny Arsola: 133 lbs.



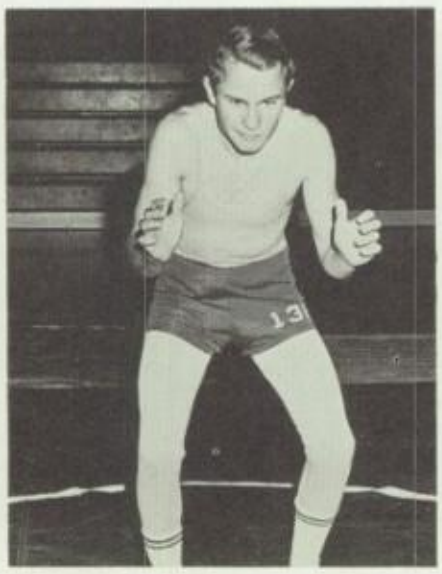
Gilbert Garcia: 154 lbs.



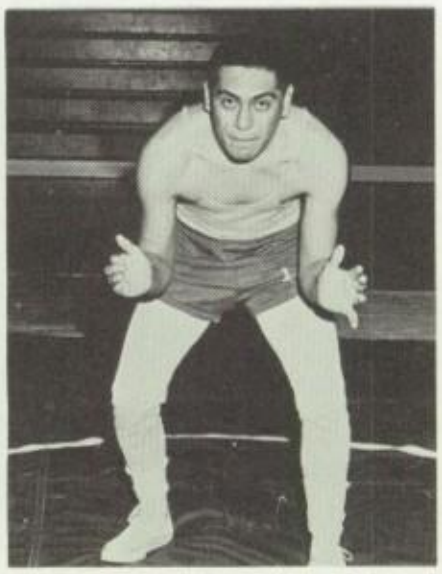
Casey Parker: Unlimited.



Pete Wayne: 120 lbs.

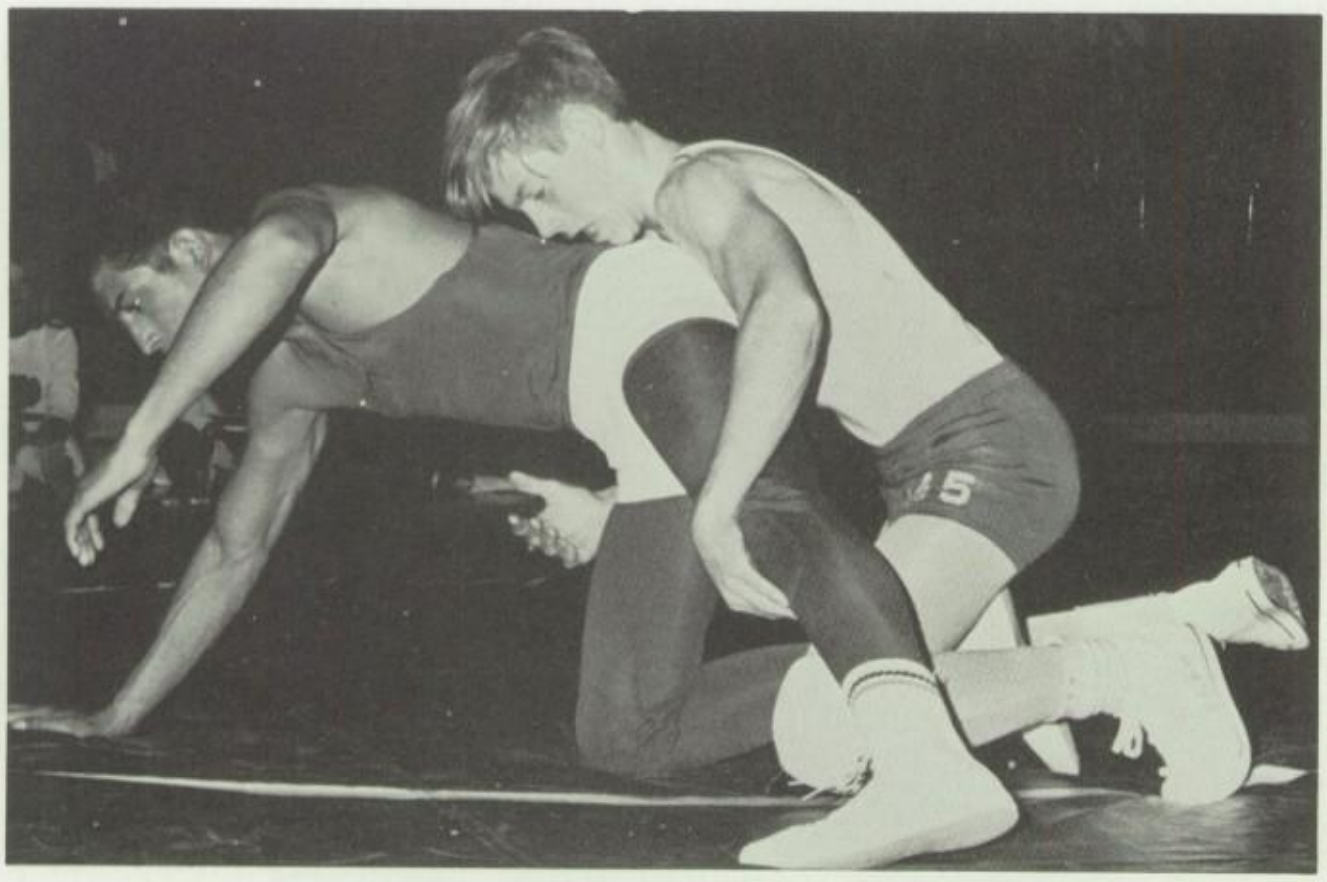


Dusty Hunt: 138 lbs.



Bobby Morales: 165 lbs.

Wrestlers Work Hard for repeated Victories

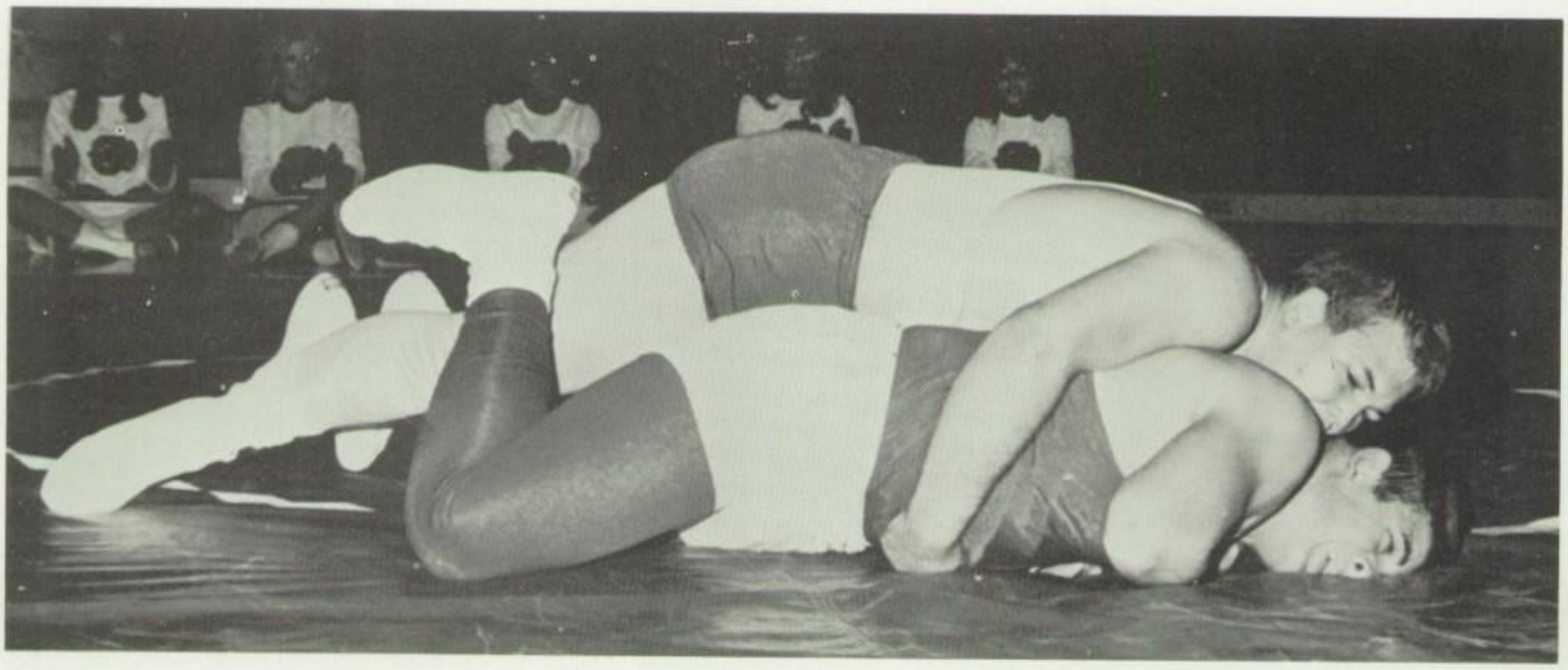


Watch out: Matman Paul Pickett is about to put a Navy Ride on an unsuspecting opponent.

Go

Fight

Win



Fighting Colt Grappler Casey Parker punishes another opponent matman before pinning him.

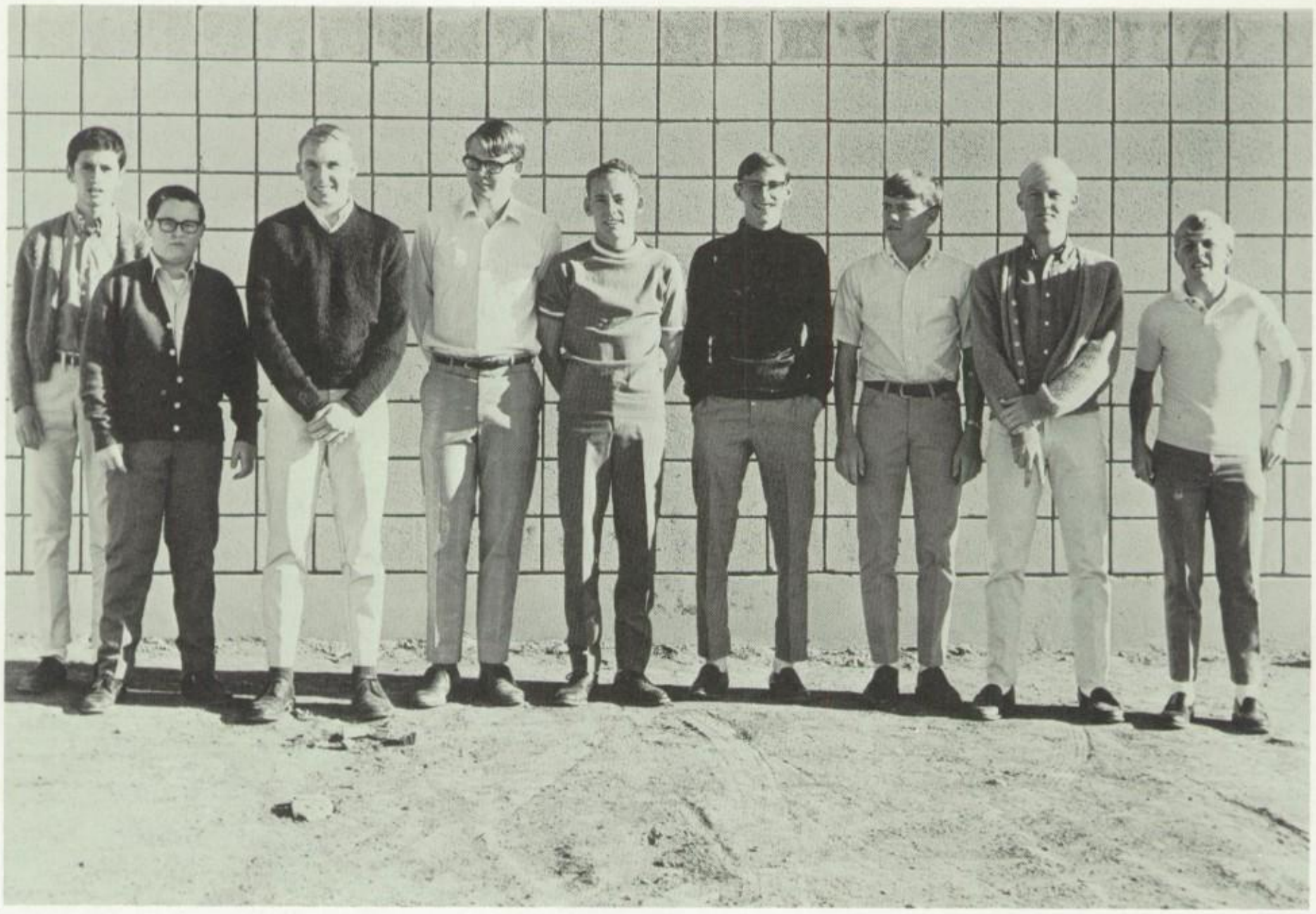
Grapplers Go from District to State.

Four Fighting Colts went to State this year. They are from Left to Right: Bobby Morales, Pete Wayne, Paul Pickett, Casey Parker.

Bobby Morales won second in District. Both Pete Wayne and Casey Parker won first in District and fourth in State. Paul Picket won first in District and third in State.

Pete Wayne ended up with a 13-7 record. Morales with a 12-8 record. Pickett with a 15-4 record and Casey Parker with a 17-3 record.

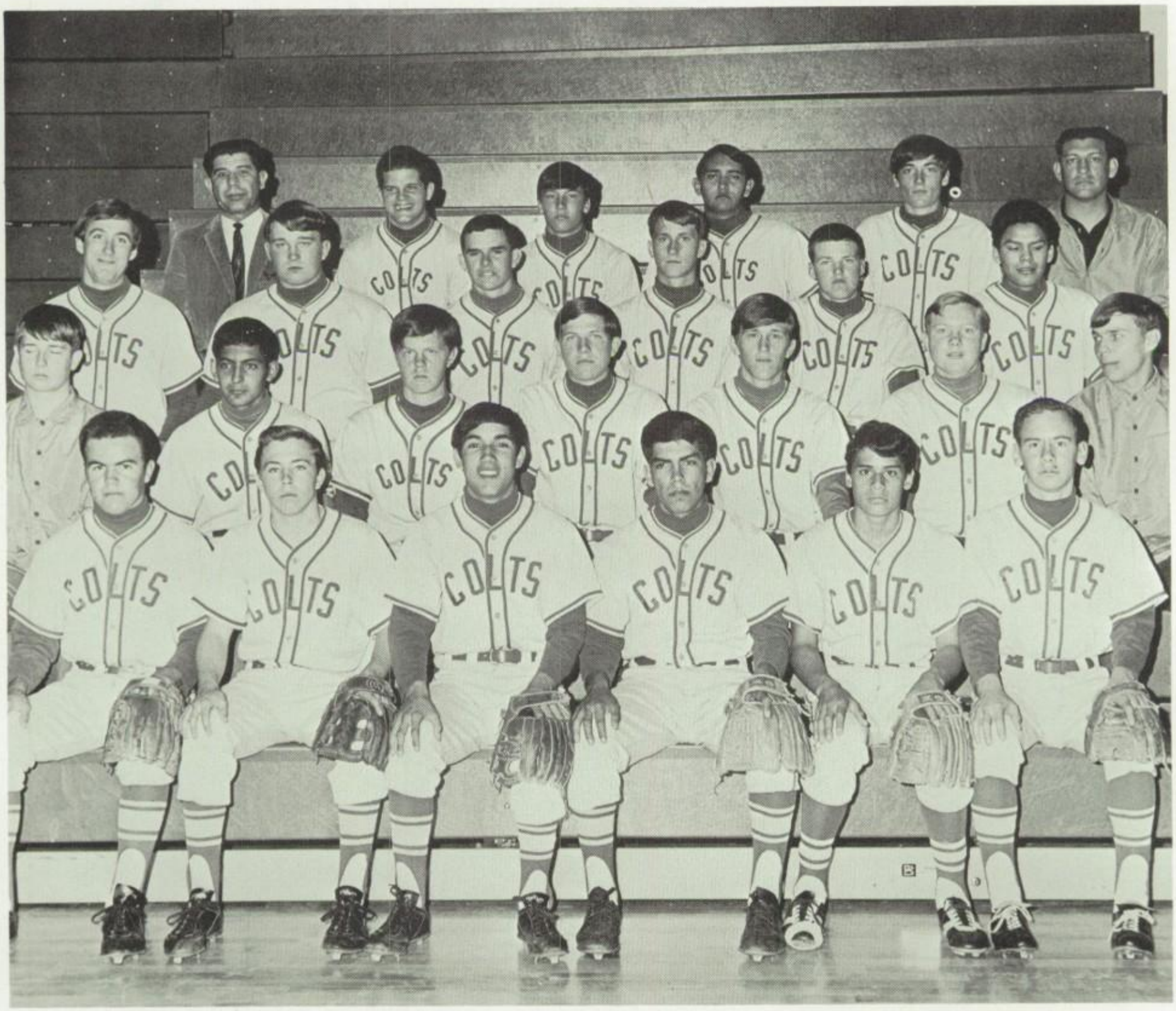
Coach Wilson gives instructions and details to Andrew Escudero before his match.



From Left to Right: Ronnie Andazola, Thomas Stewart, Craig Lovett, David Laubhan, Charles Gose, John Stewart, Mike Cobb, Cecil Boyett, Steve Fox.

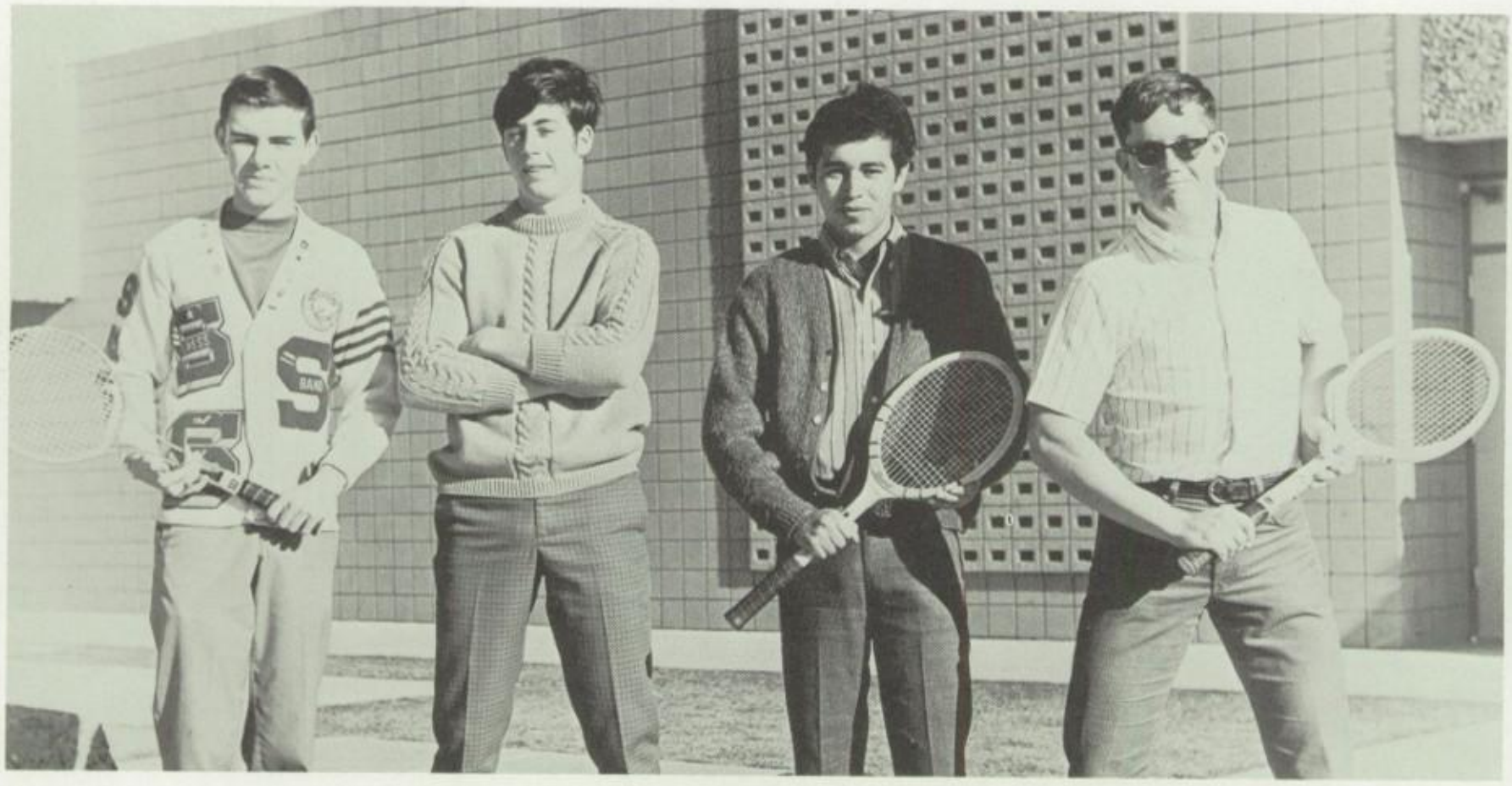
Silver High Golf Team

1969 Fighting Colt Baseball Team

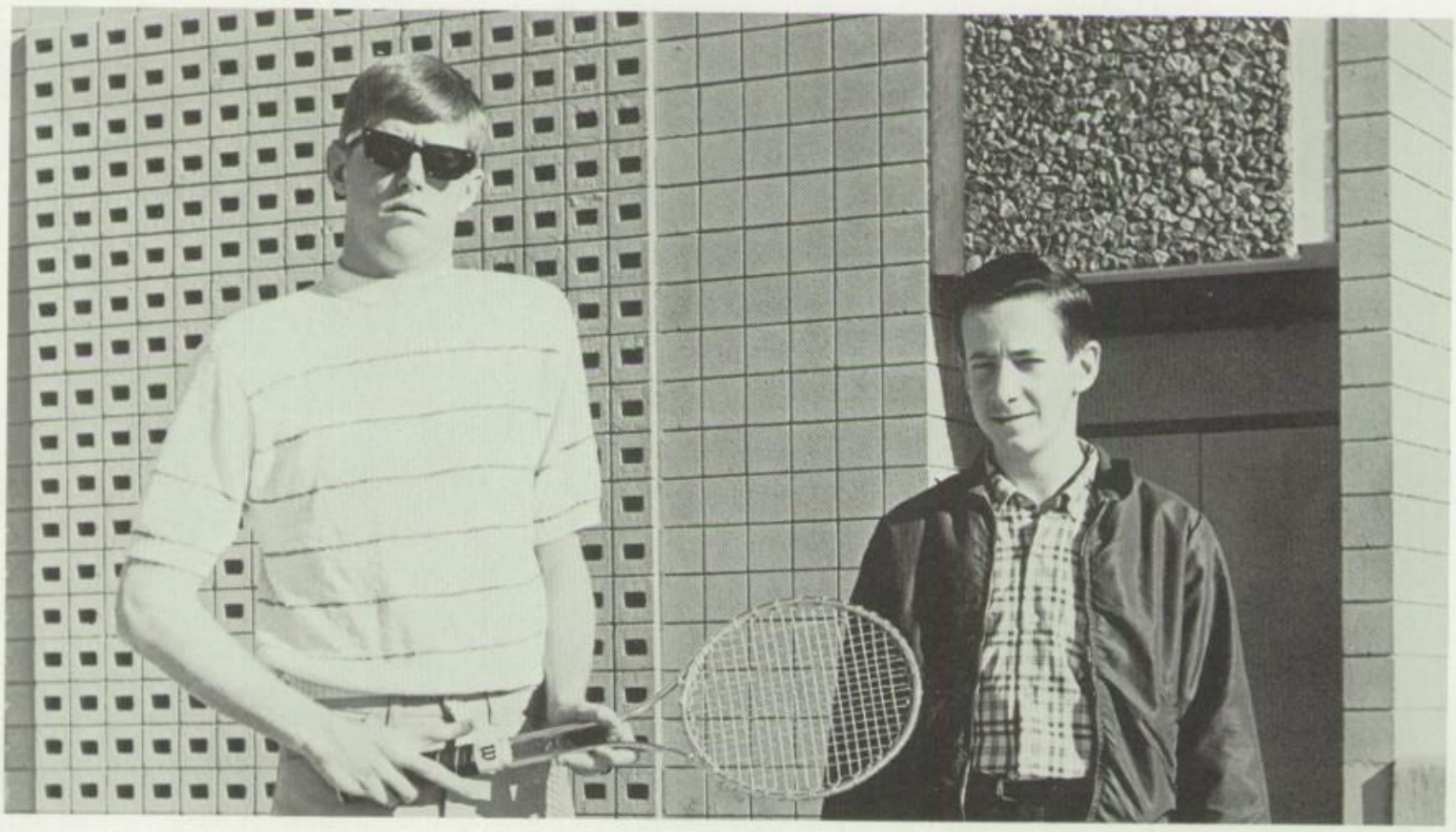


First Row; Left to Right: Emelio Arellano, Craig Cooper, Tiny Luna, Joe Moreno, Ricky Valenzuela, John Tedford. Second Row: Don Brooks, Tommy Bustillos, Jerry Laws, Doug Stern, Frank Harrison, Jake Pruit, Jerry Vick. Third Row: Bobby Jackson, Joe Riley, Frank Ogas, Bill Marek, Rusty Lowe, Sammy Vasquez. Fourth Row: Asst. Coach Ramon Carrillo, Dale Kelly, Randy Peck, Mike Carrillo, Lex Schadel, Head Coach Bob Ruiz.

Fighting Colt Tennis Team



Fighting Colt Tennis Players from left to right: Jim Reed, John Walsh, David Quintana, Jerry Walz. Not Pictured: Casey Parker, and Woody Schmitt.



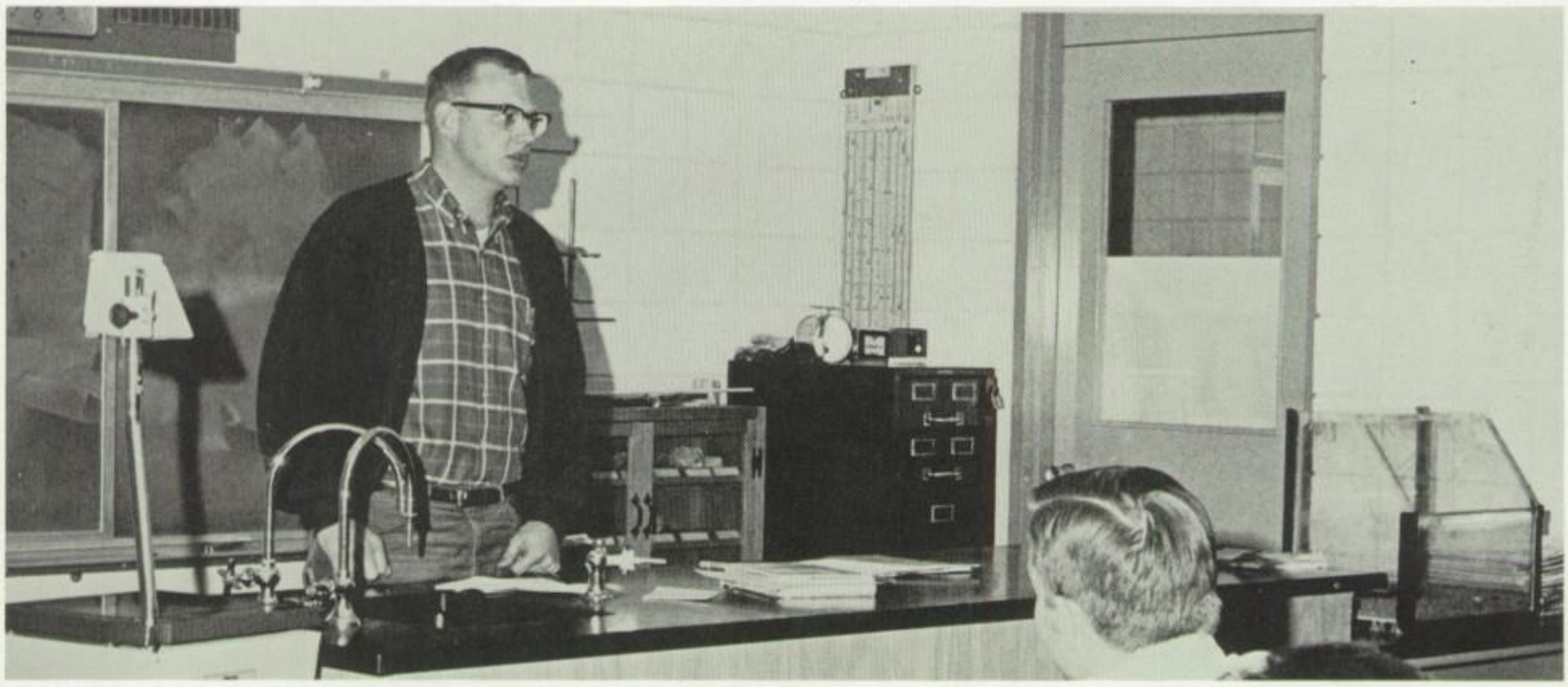
Tennis Captain, Sam Binder with hopeful member Bill Ashcraft.

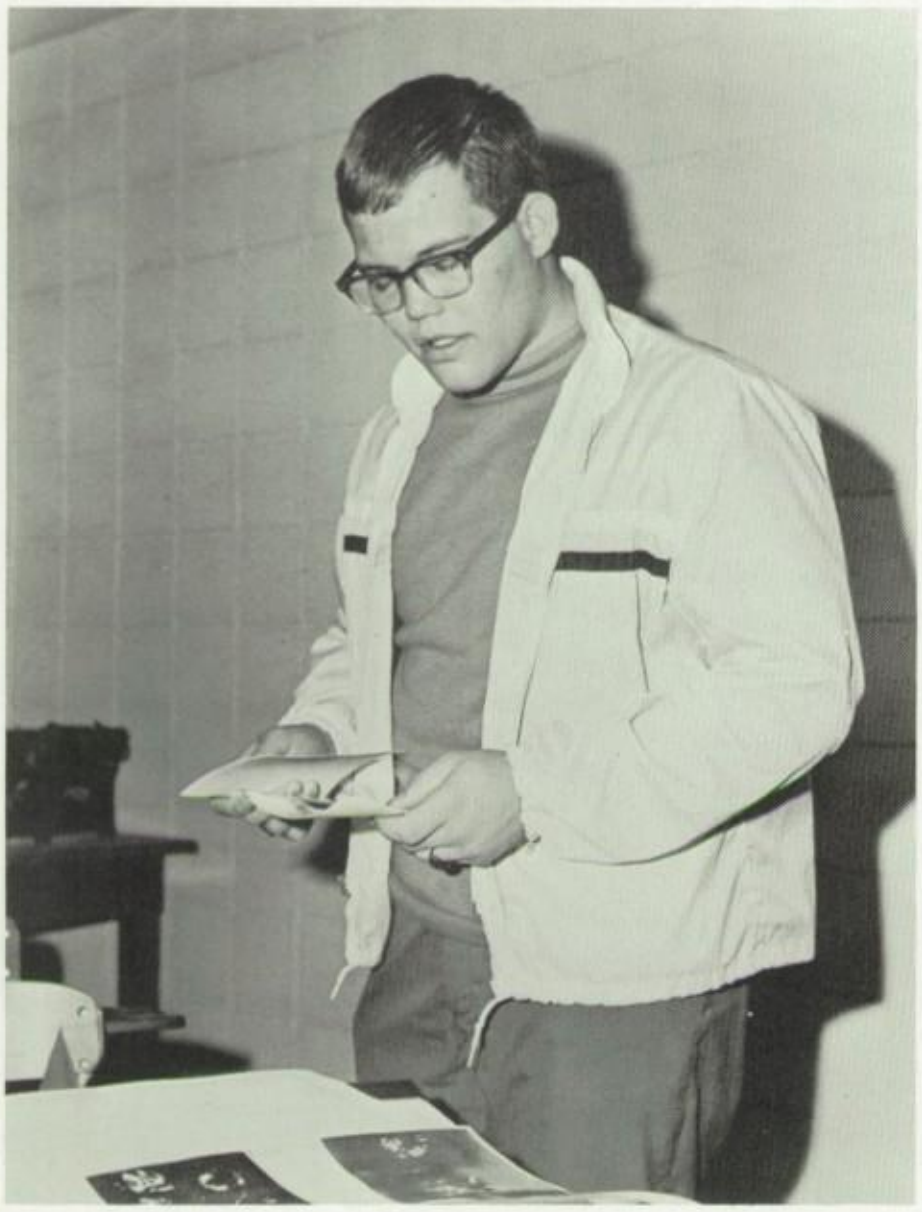
G A A

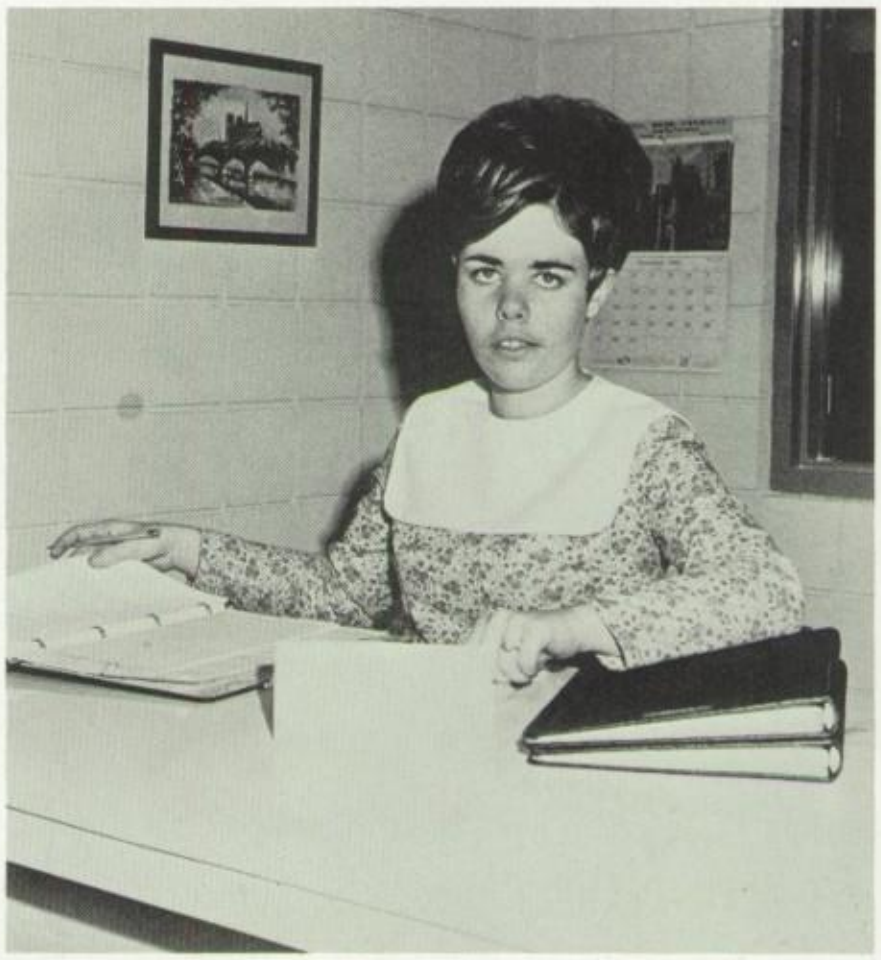
Front Row; Left to Right: Bobbie Simmons, Peggi Smith, Nancy Powe, Diana Ward, Gigi Ranger. Second Row: Vicki Maldonado, Mary Jean Lopez, Mary Ester Morales, Norma Montes, Prissy Escudero, Estella Morales, Cecilia Olivias, Lynne Kelly. Third Row: Amelia Bonillo, Martha Placencio, Vargie Correa, Dobie Polanco, Dora Ybarra, Michelle Henslev.

Volly Ball: Front Row; Left to Right: Jenny Hagan, Vangelina Bencomo, Gloria Lopez, Lilian Polanco, Mary Ann Castonon. Second Row: Viki Battishill, Chris Hensley, Lynne Watson, Virginia Abalos, Sandi Lee, Jean Ann Verbica. Top: Suzanne Gaines.

Basketball: Front Row; Left to Right: Berna Rivera, Pat Rivera, Jenny Hagan, Mary Ellen Gallardo. Second Row: Jean Ann Verbica, Cathy Reams, Lynne Watson, Gloria Gonzales, Karen Schafer, Geraldine Vasquez. Top: Suzanne Gaines.







People

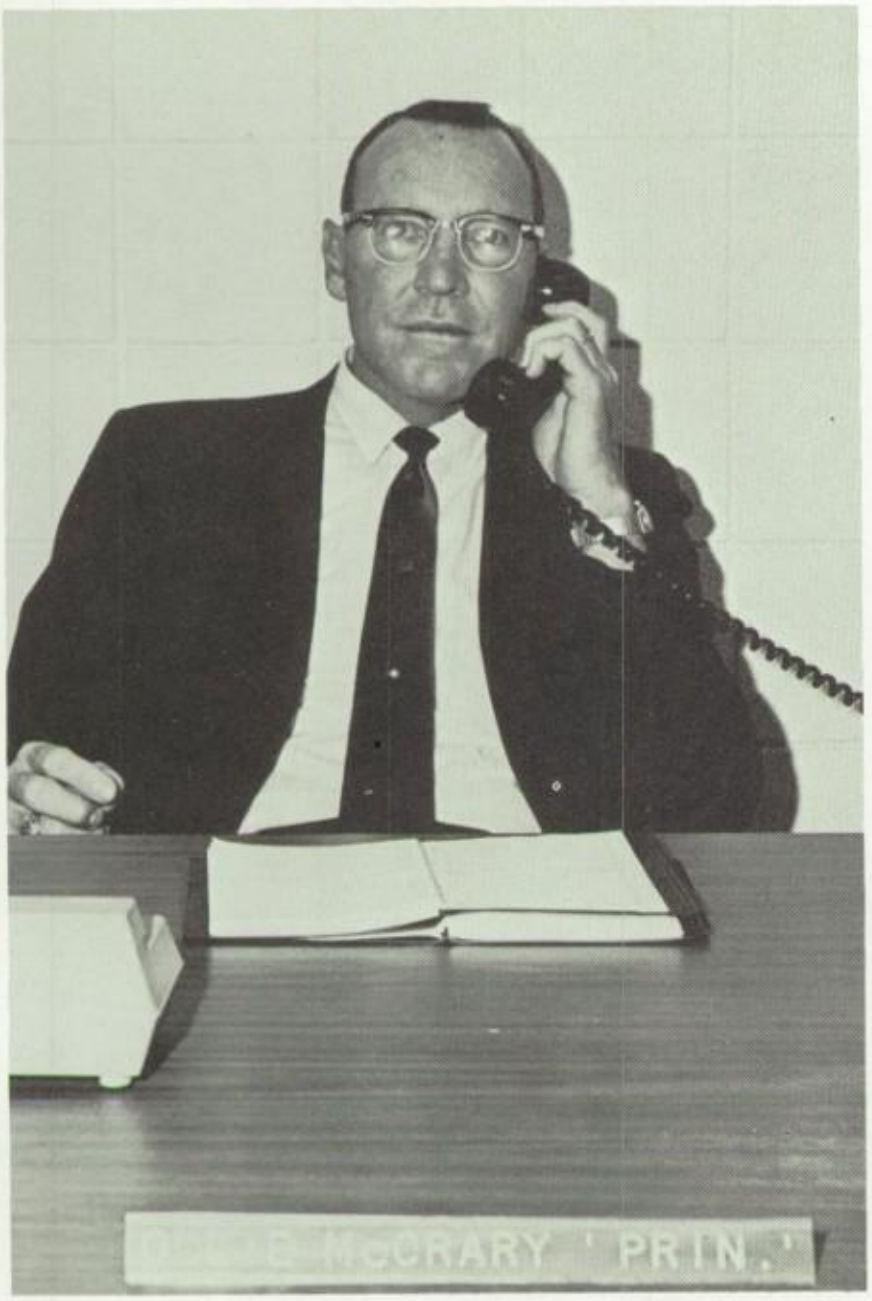
Mr. Fred Clark, Dr. L. L. Anderson, Mr. Mancel Mortensen, and Mr. Joe Welsh

School Board

Have you ever thought what a school would be like without the School Board, the Superintendent, the Director of Instruction, the Principal and Assistant Principal, the Secretary and the Counselor helping us? They help keep our school running without them we could never get through the year. Thank you for a job well done.

Mr. John Gaines, Superintendent, Silver Consolidated Schools.

Mr. Calvin Short, Director of Instruction, Silver Consolidated Schools.



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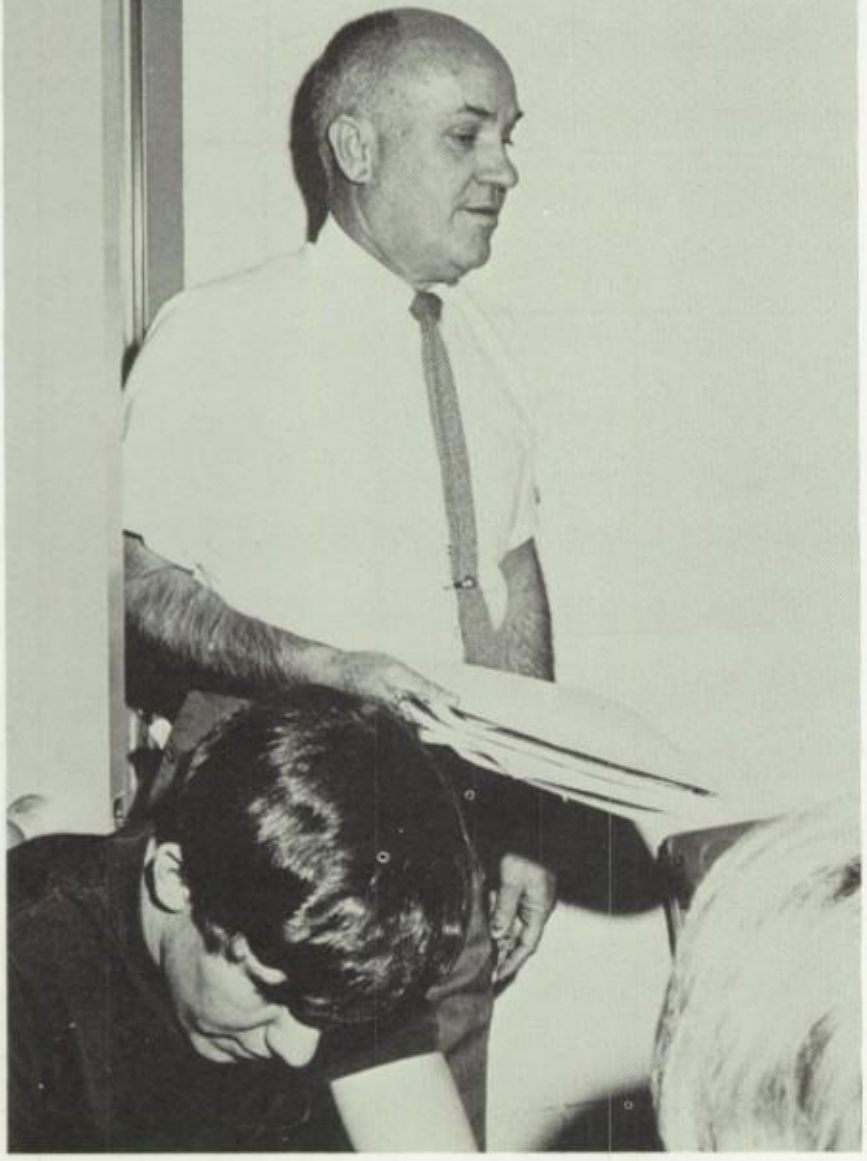


Our teachers work very hard every night. They have homework to grade as well as planning the coming work for their classes. If it weren't for their hard work we could never graduate.

Communication

Mrs. Verna Lane Librarian

Mrs. Linda Stailey English 3; English 5.

Mrs. Sabra Lee Humphery English 3; English 5.

Mrs. Mary Lou Smith English 1; English 7; Creative Writing.

Mrs. Amy Werner English 3; English 5; English 7.

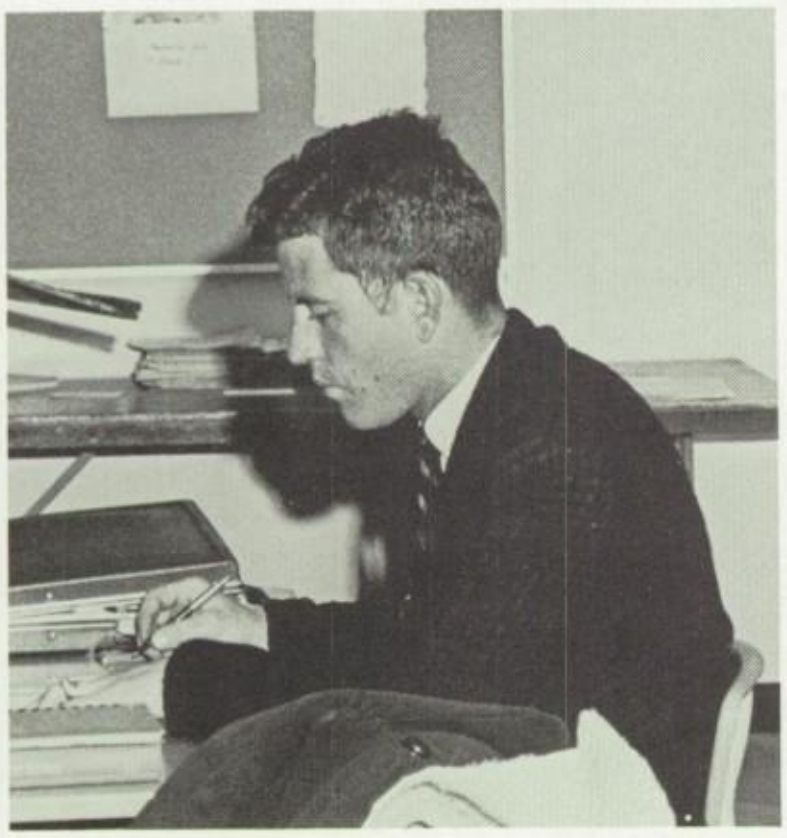
Mrs. Betty Moreno Spanish 1; Journalism.

Mrs. Ferne Nolan English 3; English 5; English 7.

Mr. Frank Van Gundy Speech 1; Speech 2.

Mrs. Smith is always there to help her students when they need her.

A teacher's work is never done. There's always some homework to be graded, as Mr. Van Gundy shows in this picture.



Mrs. Linda Brake English 3; Home Ec. 1; Home Ec. 2.

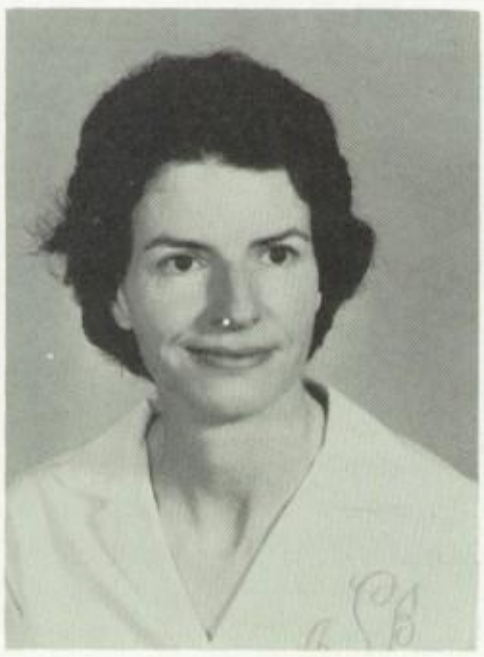
Miss Charlotte Kney Latin I; Home Economics 2; Home Economics 3-4.

Mrs. Grace Nickel U.S. History; World History.

Mr. Morris Rominger American Government; U.S. History.

Mr. Bill Wilson World History; U.S. History.

Mrs. Ailene Sontag Biology I; German.



Mr. David DeLong Spanish 2; Spanish 3.

Mr. Miller Steponovich Current Problems; World History.

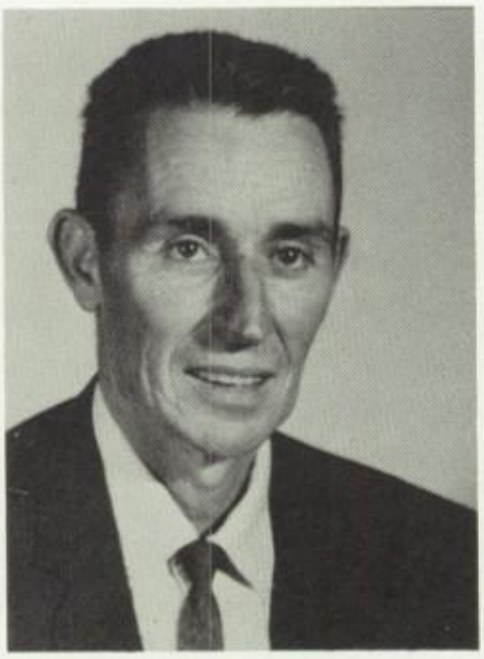
Foreign Language

And

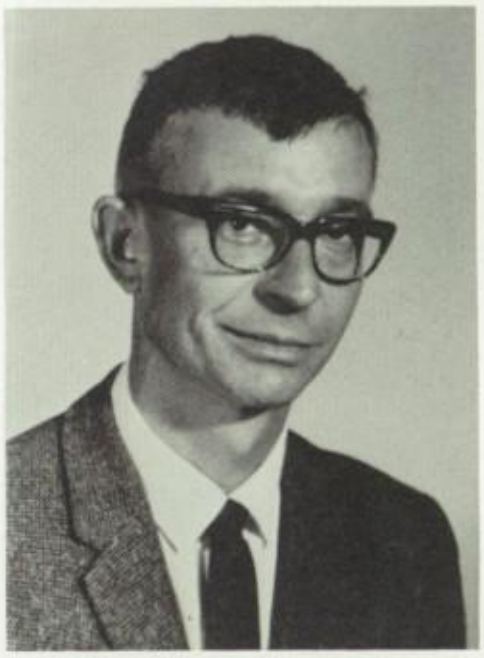
Social Studies

Mrs. Dorothy Jones Intermediate Math; Geometry; Senior Math.

Mr. Jack Hill Applied Math; Geometry; Senior Math.



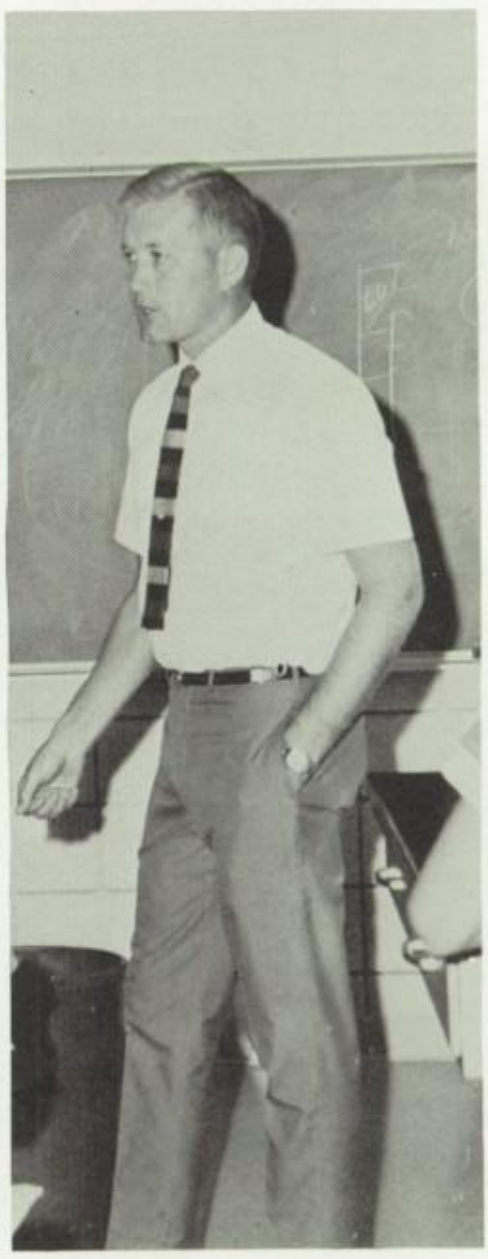
Mr. Charles Miller Chemistry; Physics; Algebra I.



Mr. James Baldwin Algebra I; Intermediate Math; Geology.

Mr. L. P. Maldonado Biology I; Biology 2.

Mr. Marvin Sanders Biology I.



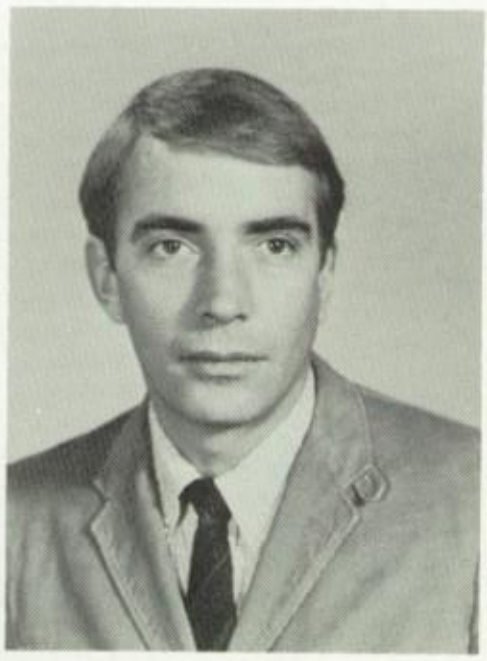
Mrs. Janet Martin Applied Math; Geometry.

Science and Math

Useful Skills

Mr. Wayne Thomas Band; Music Theory; Chorus; Publicity.

Mr. Ken Thomas Art 2; Art 3; Drafting.



Mr. Thomas is giving the downbeat to start his band making beautiful music.

Mr. Barney Brienza Art 1; Art 2.

Mrs. Dorothy Williams Girl's P. E.

Mrs. Williams demonstrates the art of dribbling the basketball.

We are sorry that we could not obtain a picture of Mr. Bob Ruiz, who teaches Boy's P. E.

We are sorry that we could not obtain a picture for Mr. Charles Gardner, who teaches Shop 1 and Shop 2.

Business Courses

Miss Molly Cerny Typing I, Typing II, Shorthand.

Mrs. Mary Louise Van Buskirk Bookkeeping I, Bookkeeping II, Typing II.

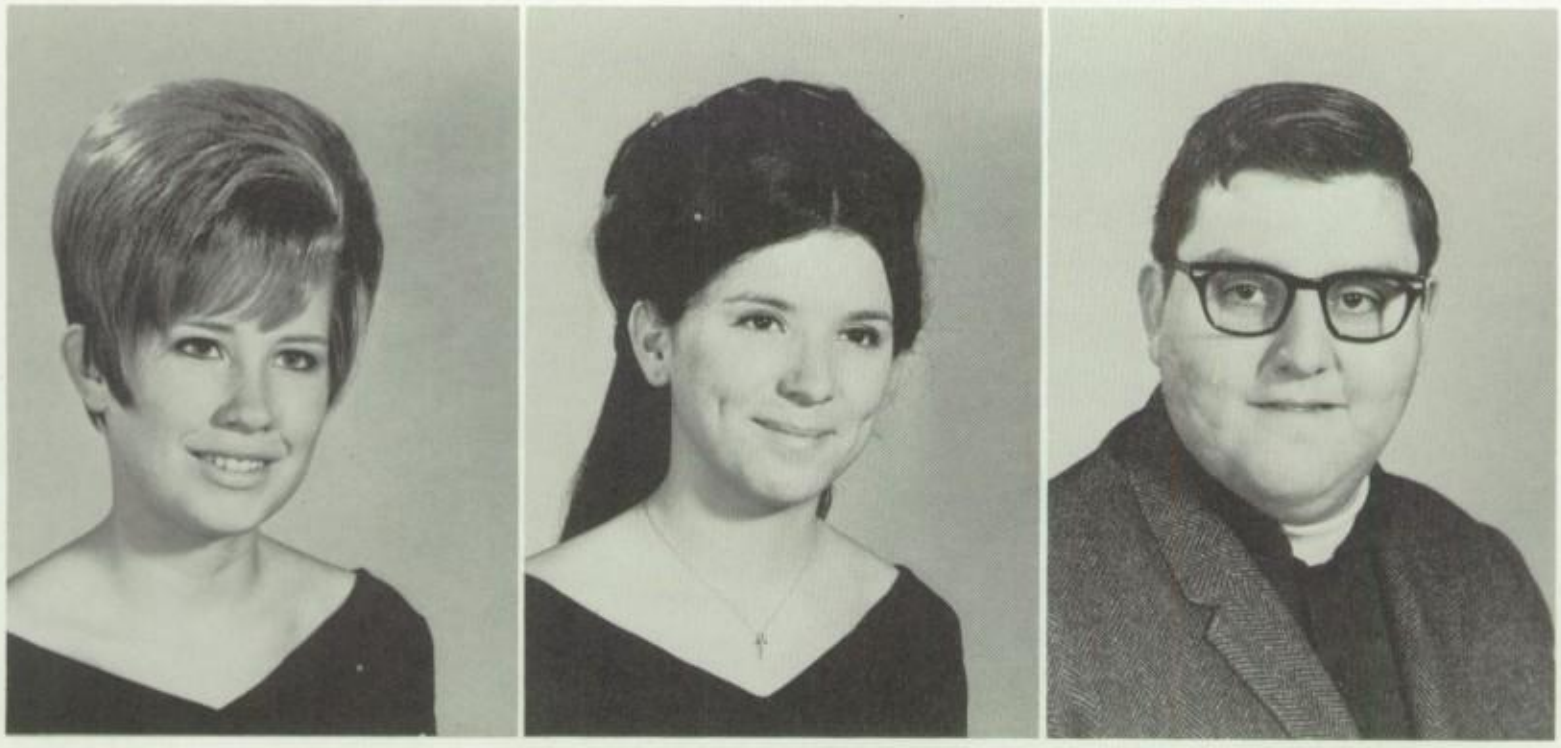
Mrs. Thelma Sordyl Typing I.

Mr. Ramon Carrillo Economics, Business Law, Typing I.

Not Pictured: Mr. Gerald Garrett General Business, Bookkeeping I.

1969 Senior Class

Irma Holguin	Student Council Representative
Phil Mortensen	President
Bobby Lopez	Vice President
Rosemary Madrid	Treasurer



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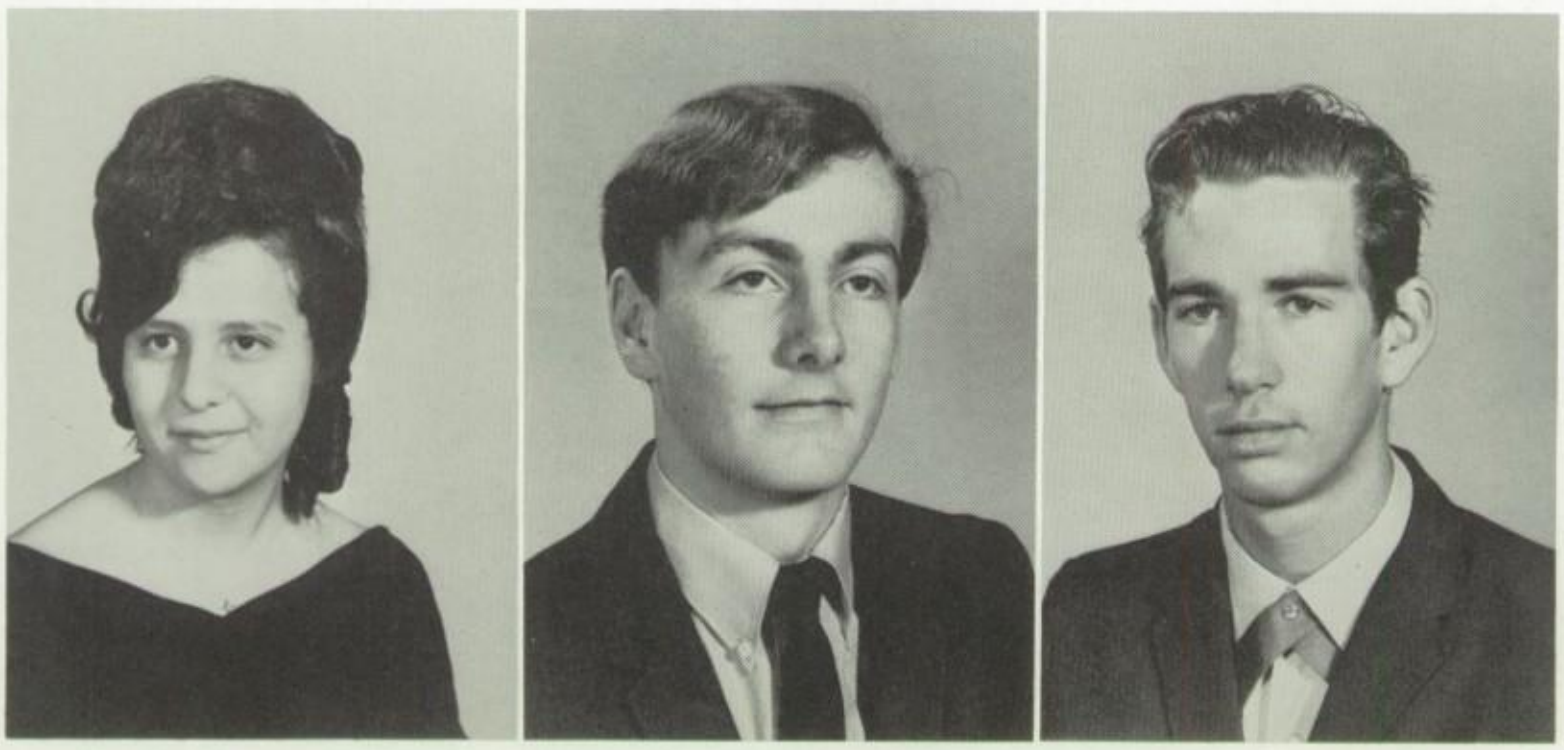

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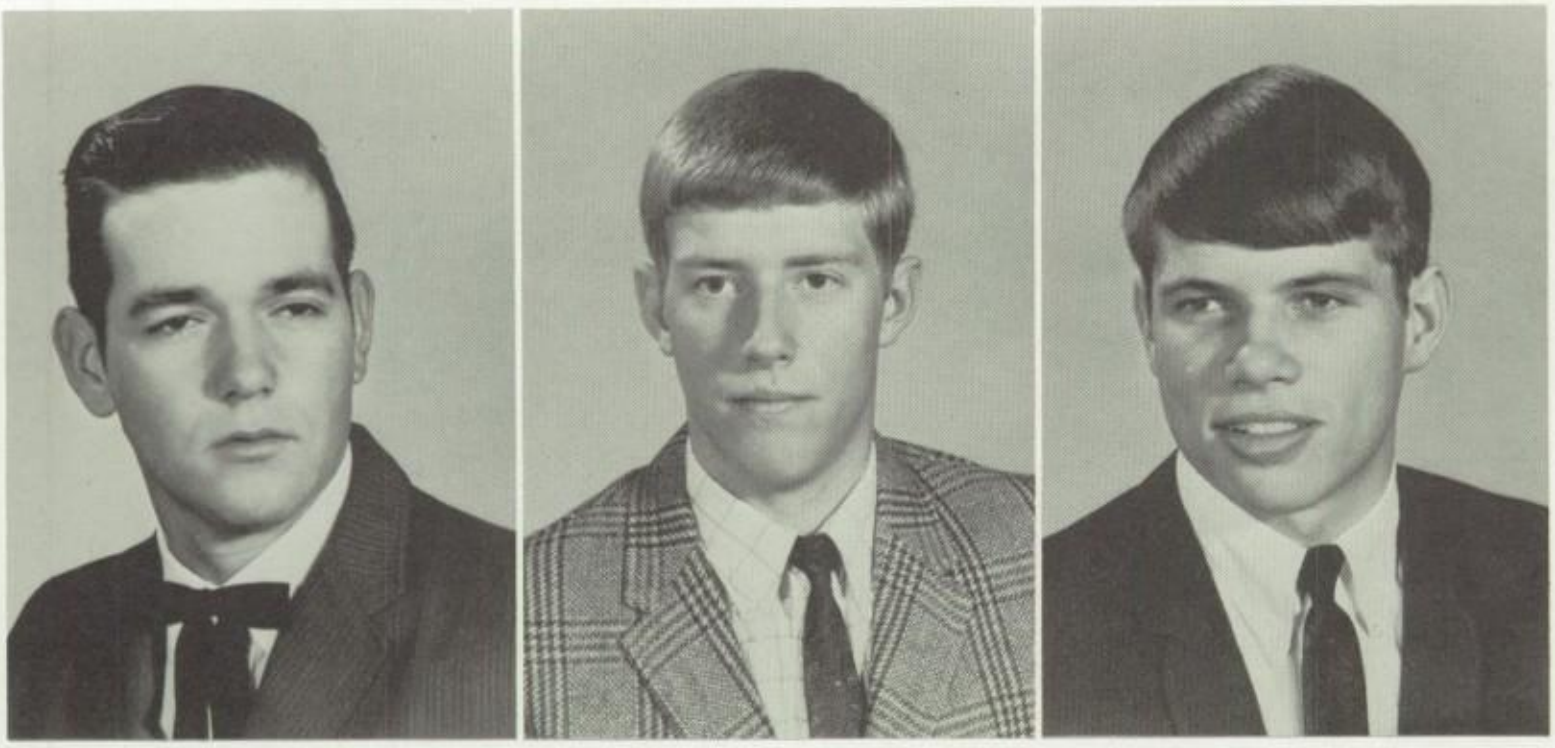

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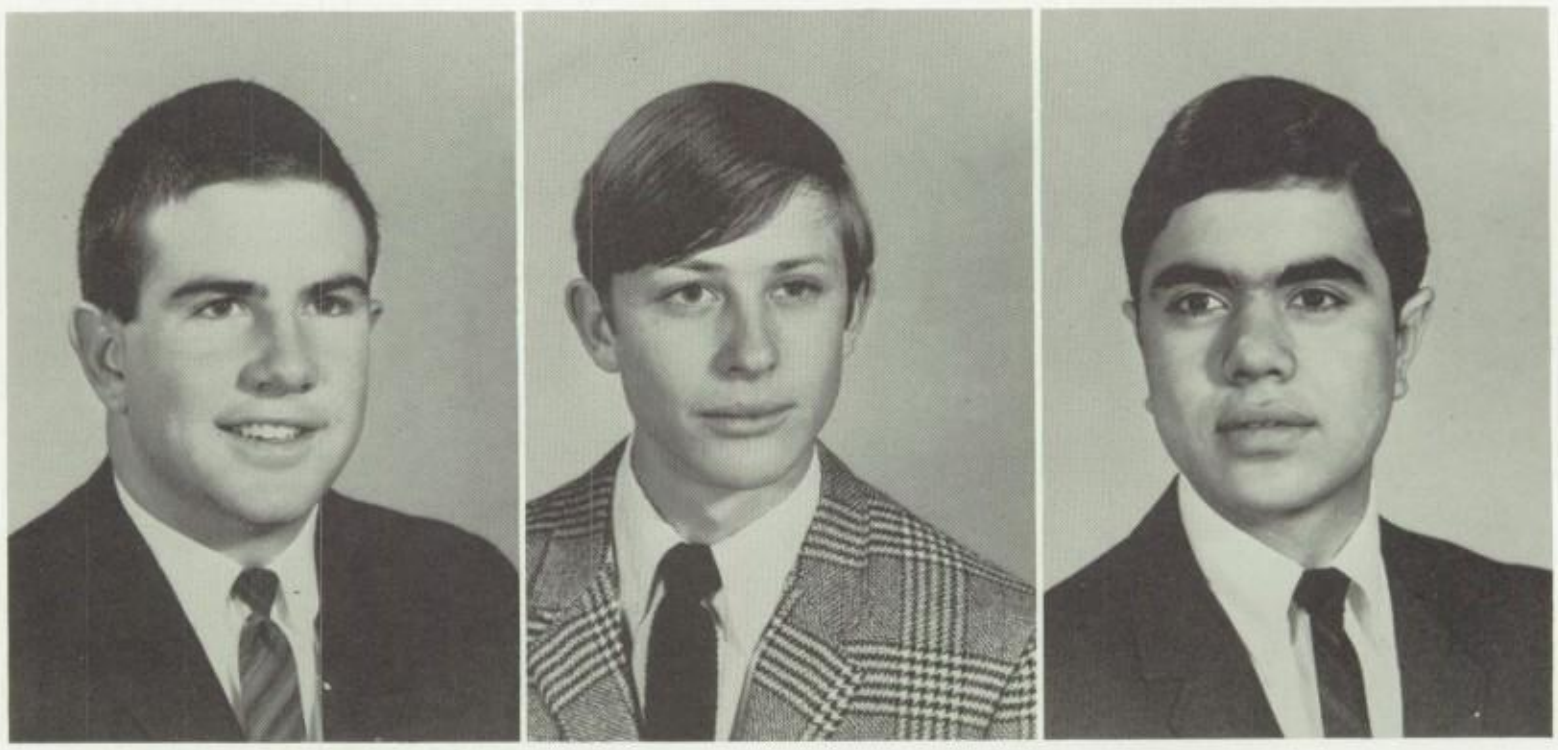

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Eric Brown
Daniel Carbajal

Mike A. Carillo
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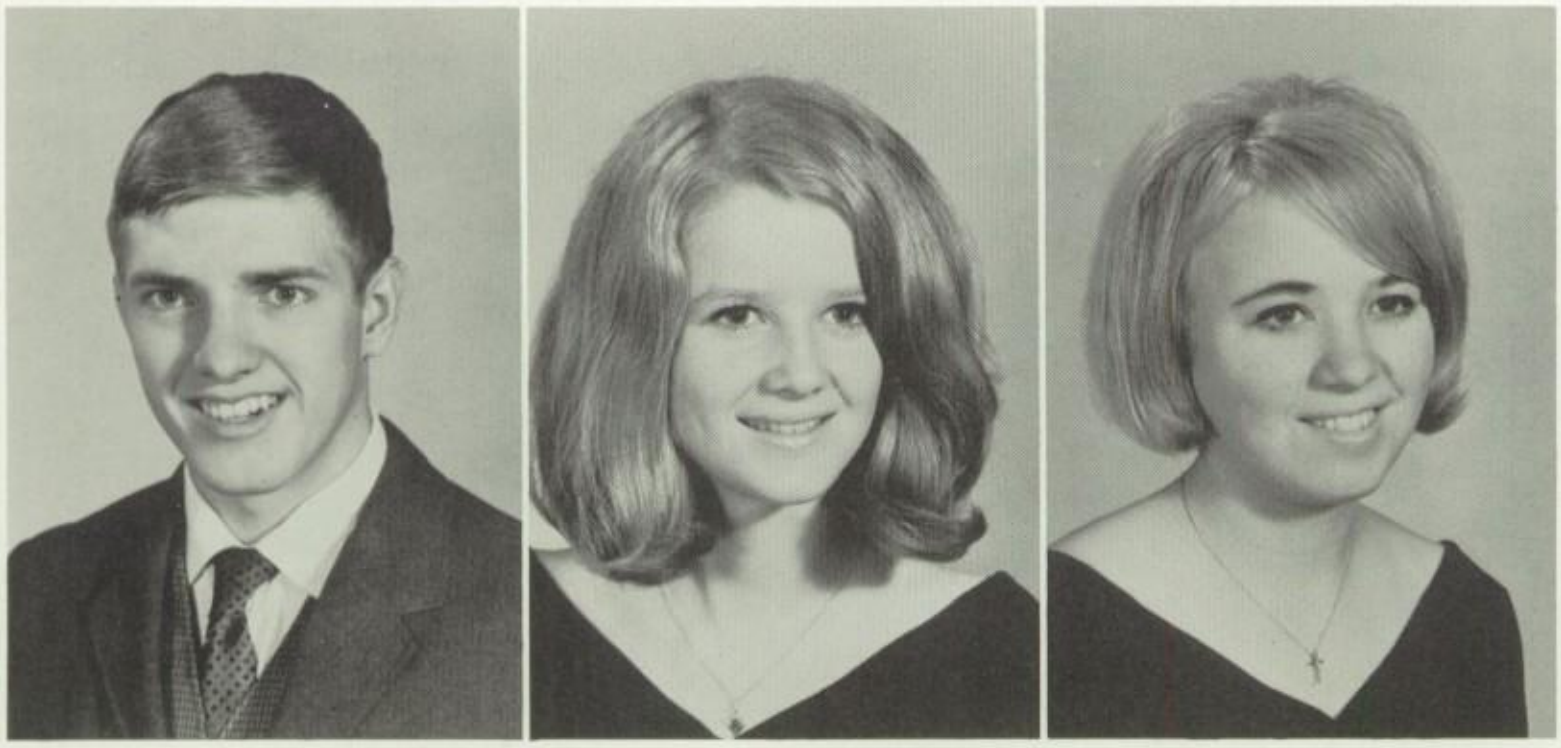

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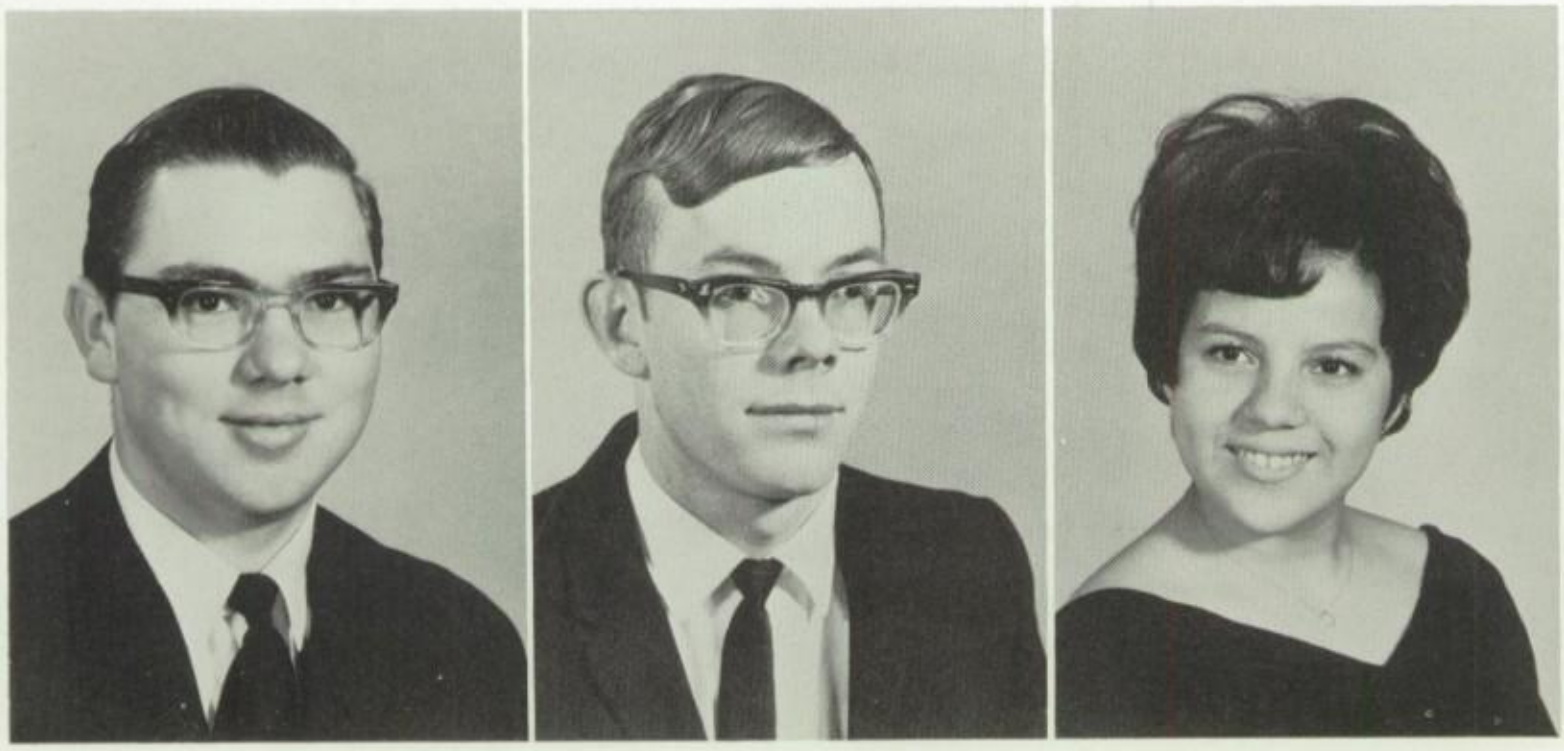

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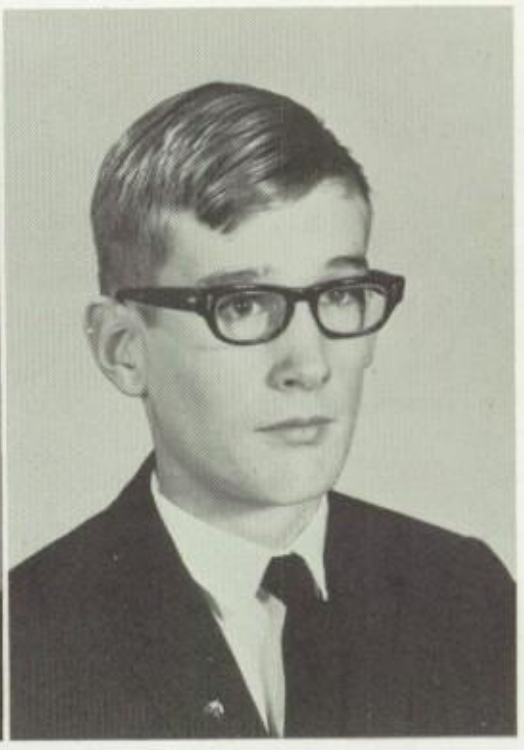

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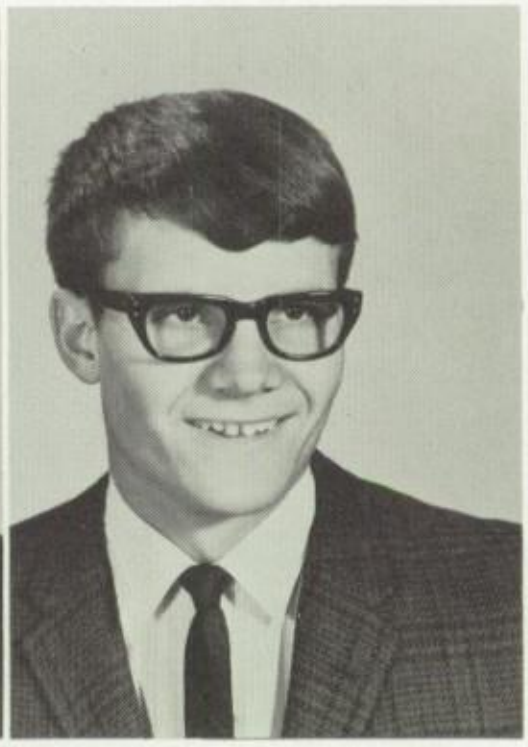

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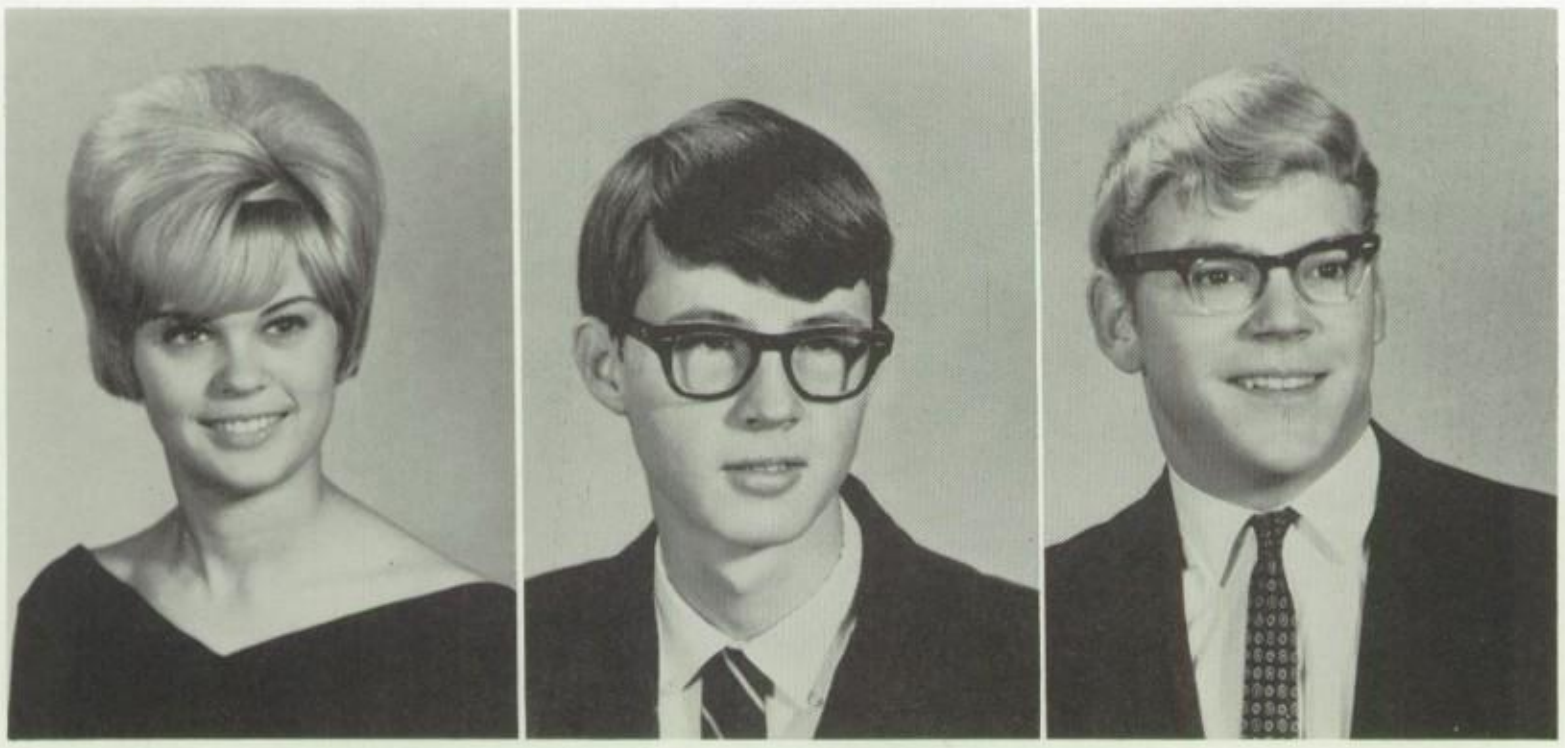

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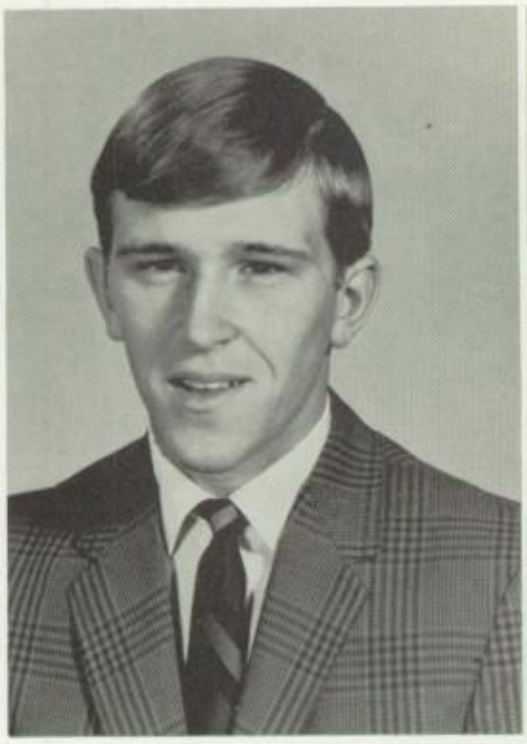

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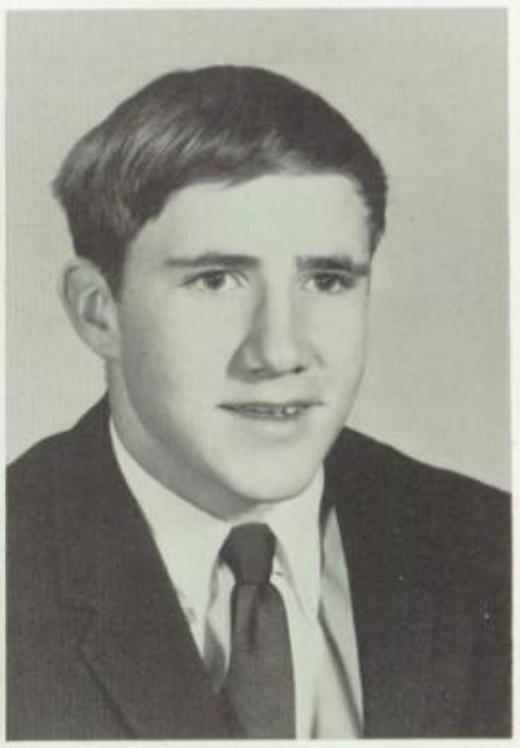

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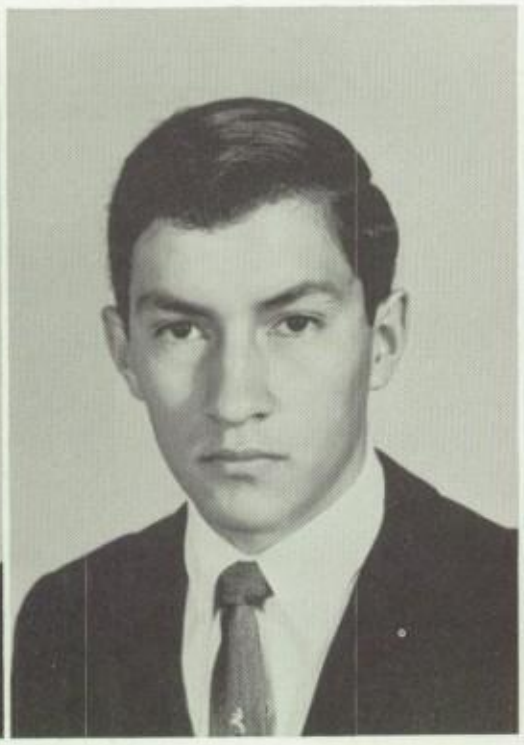

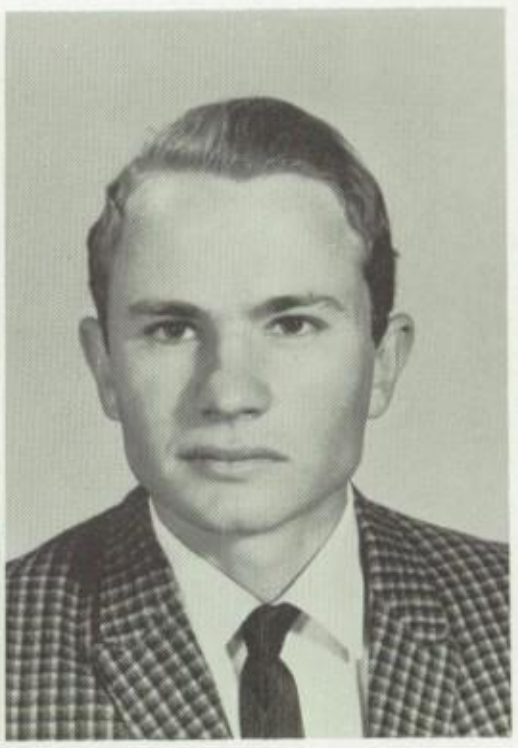

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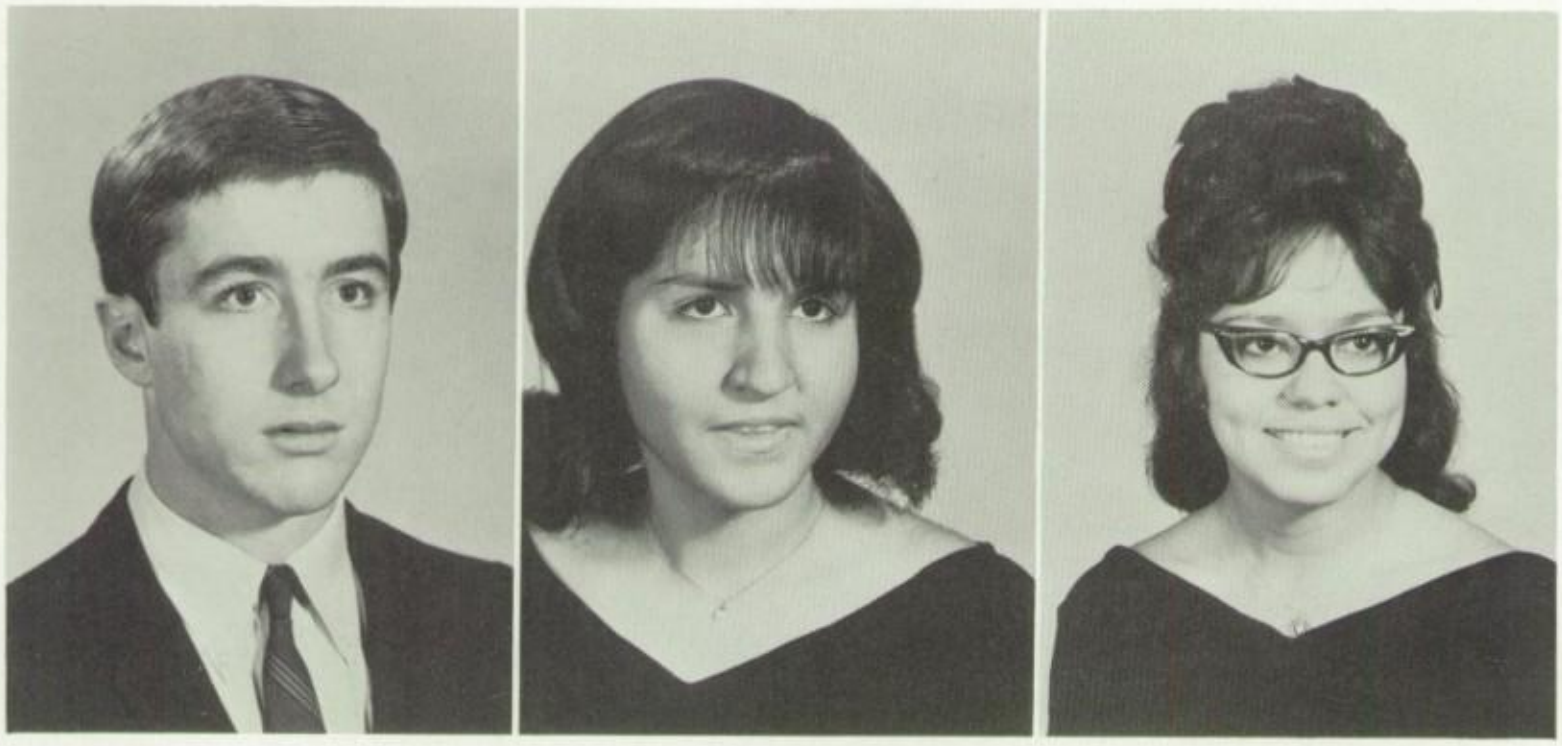

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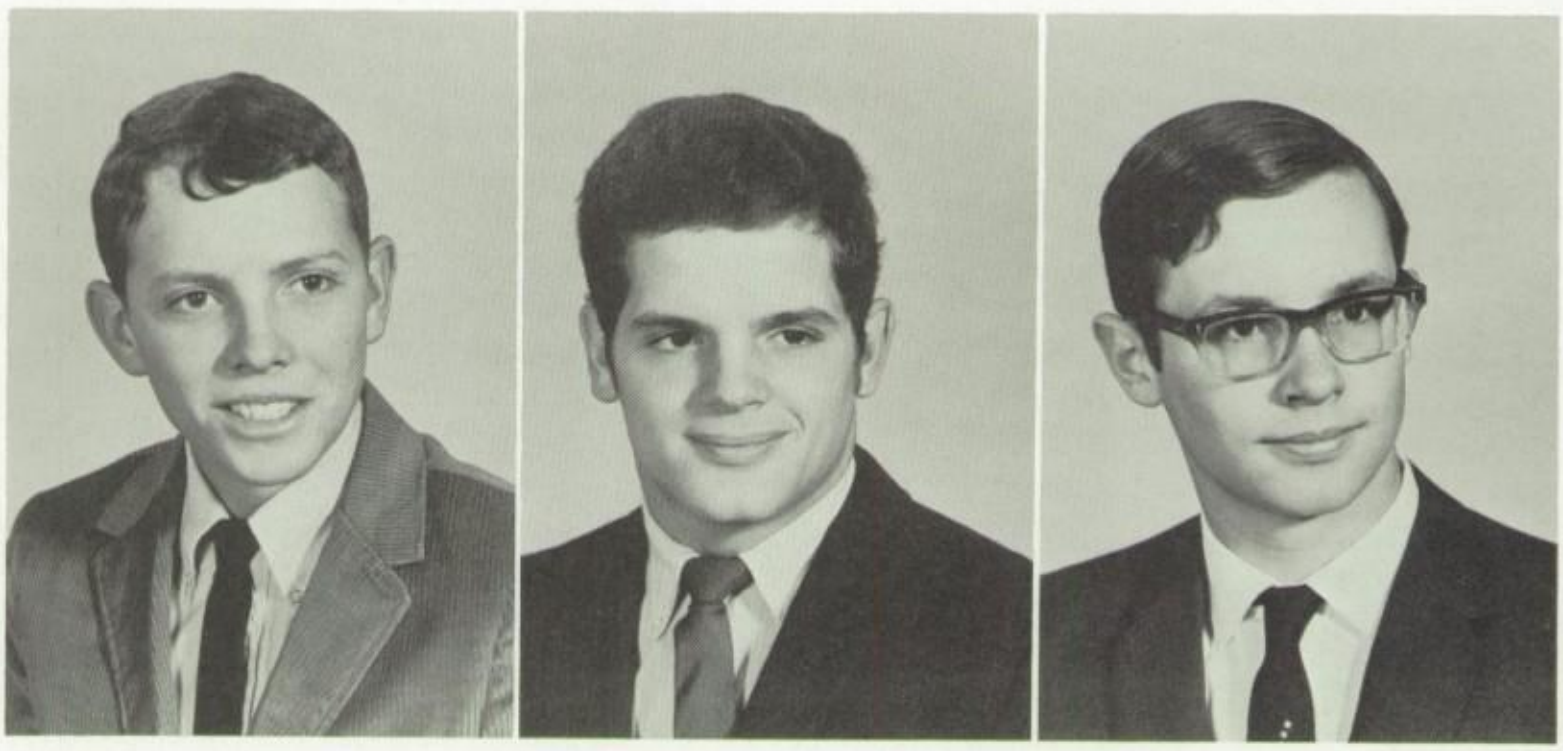

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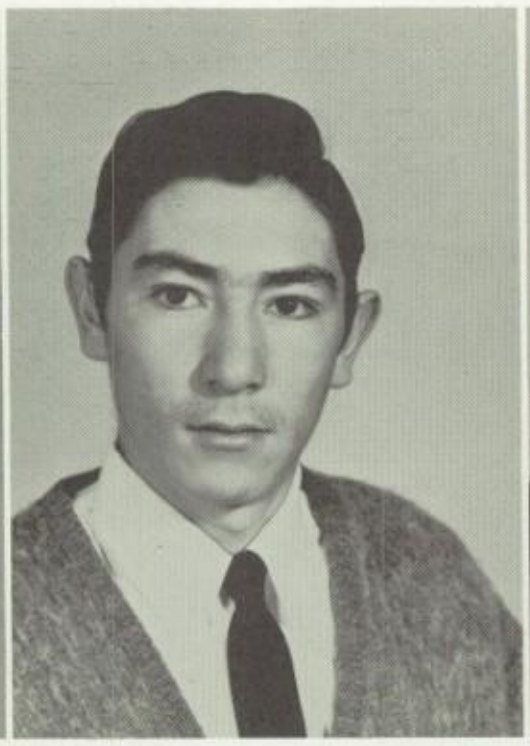

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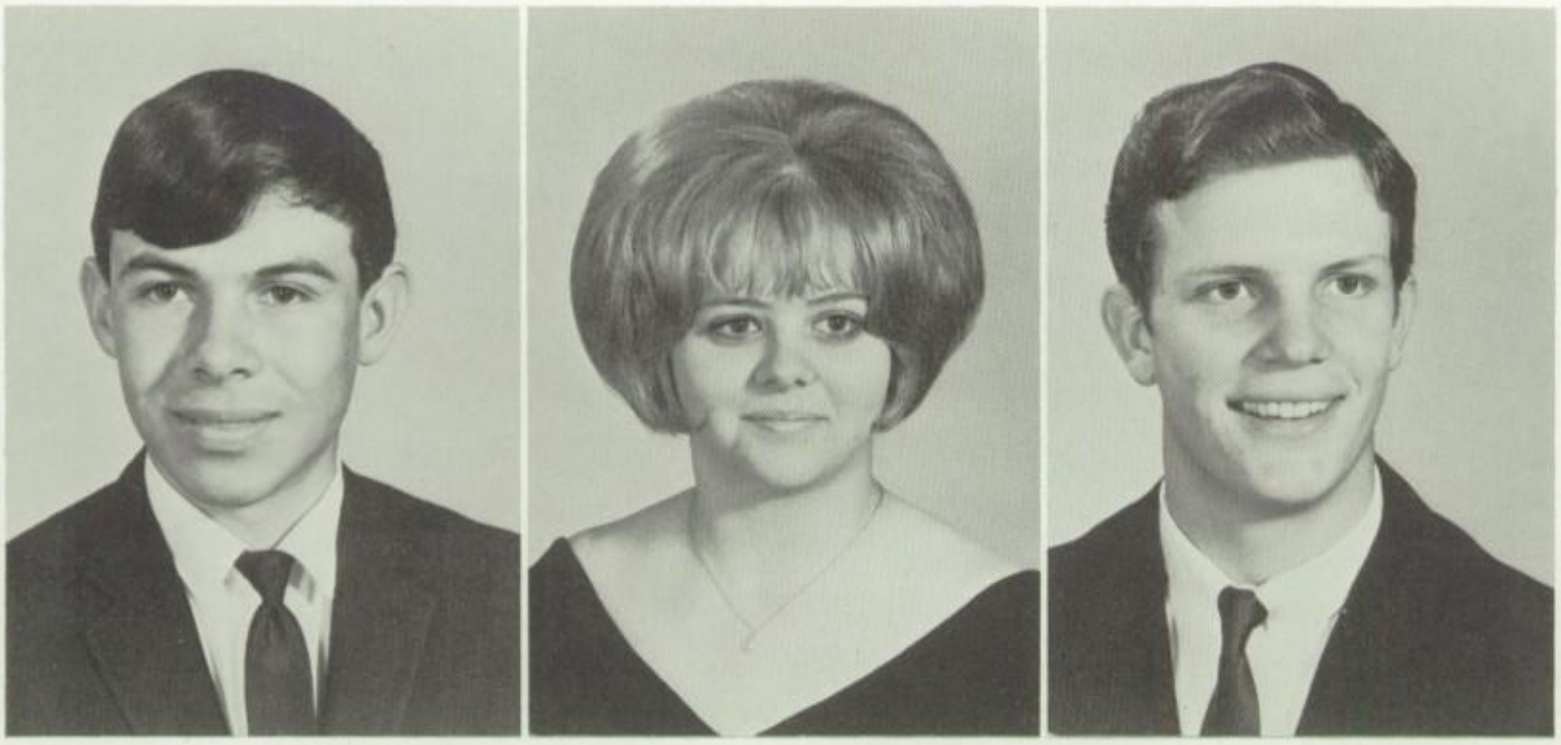

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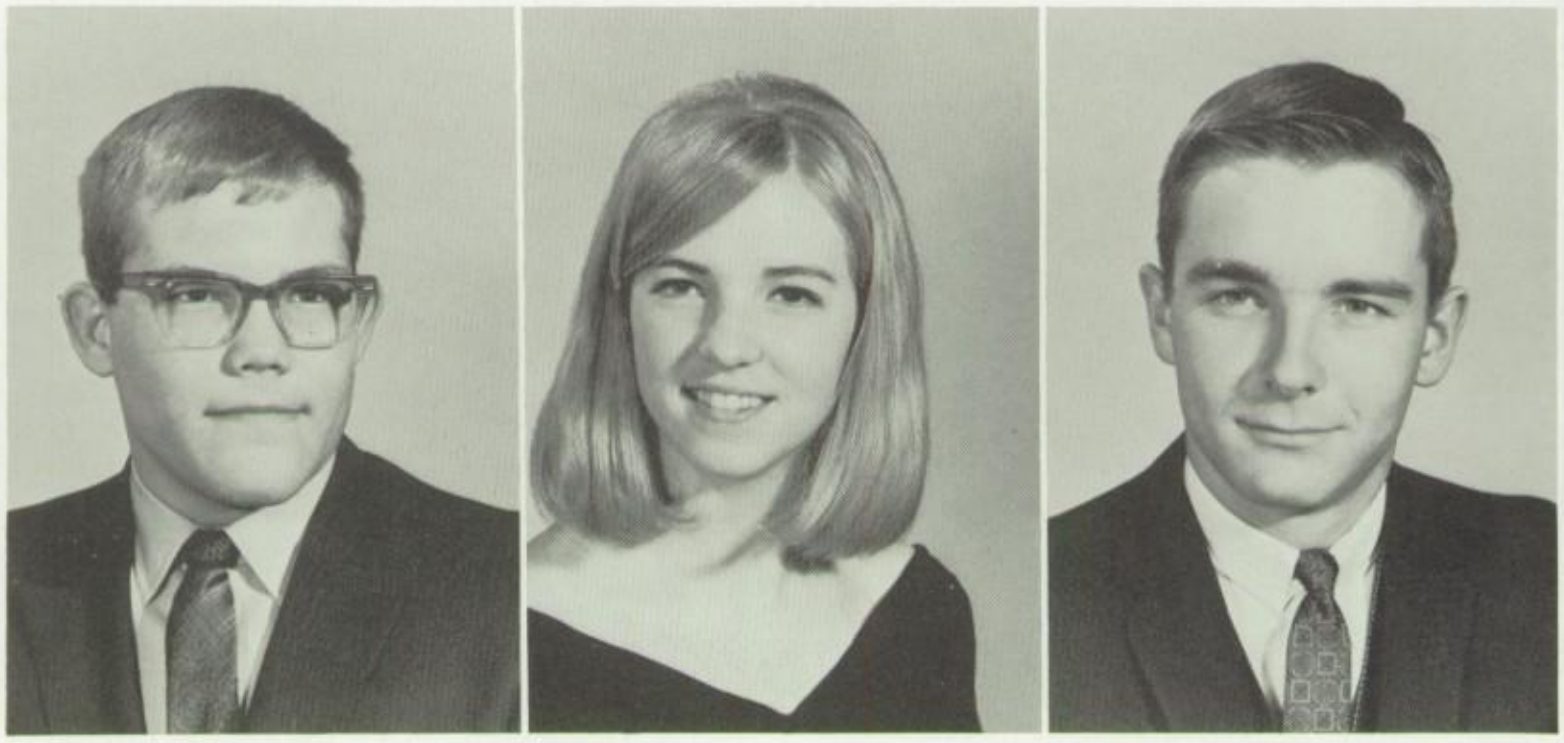

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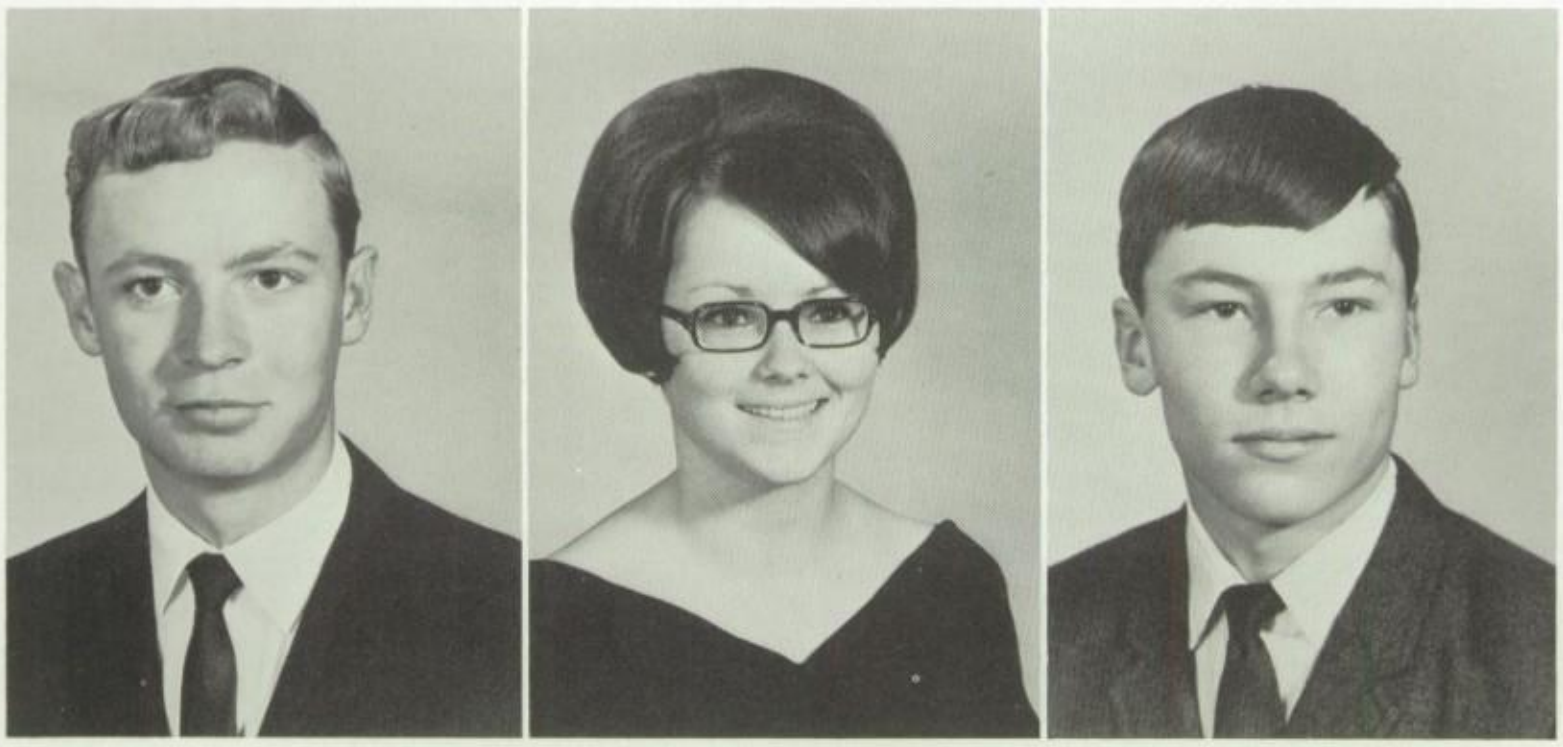

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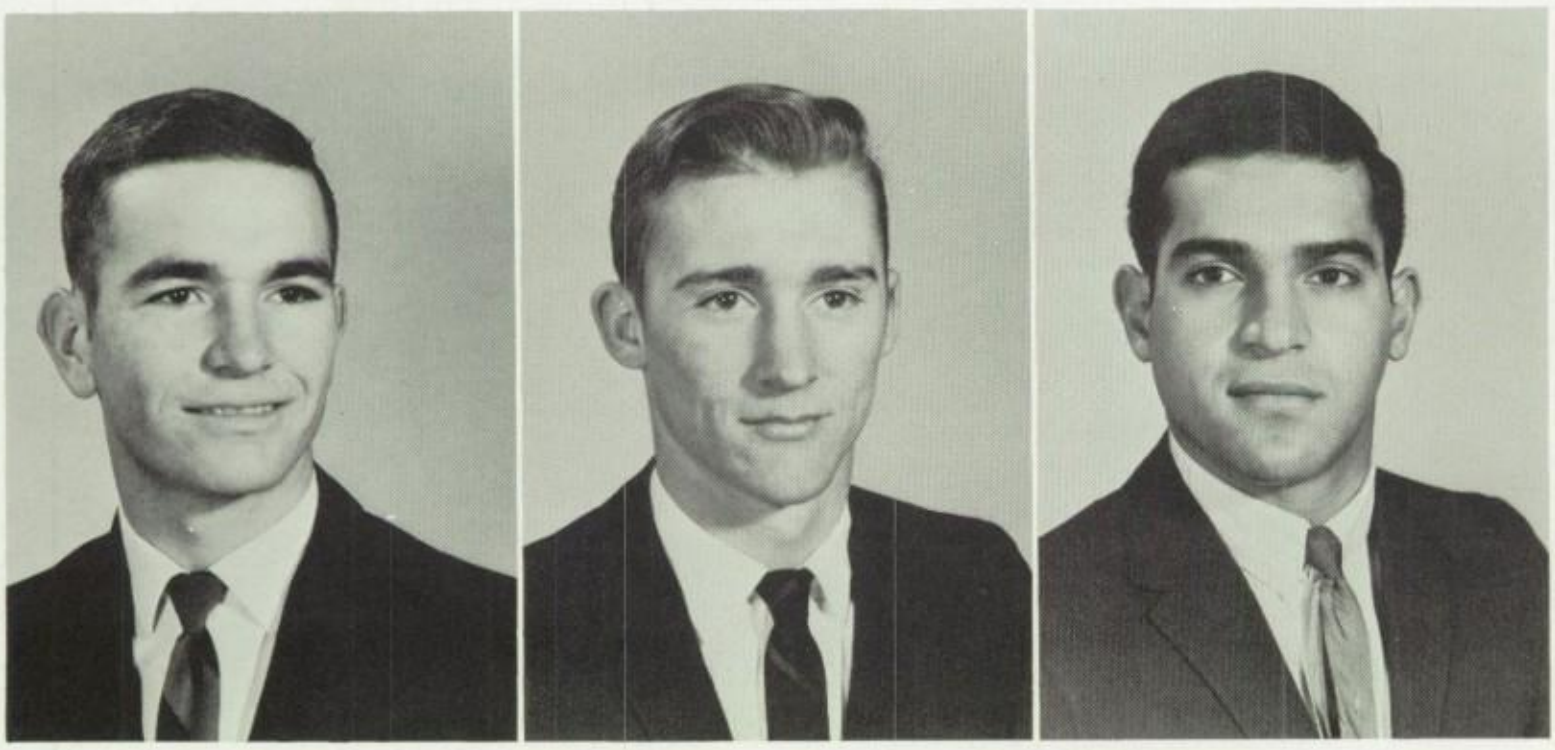

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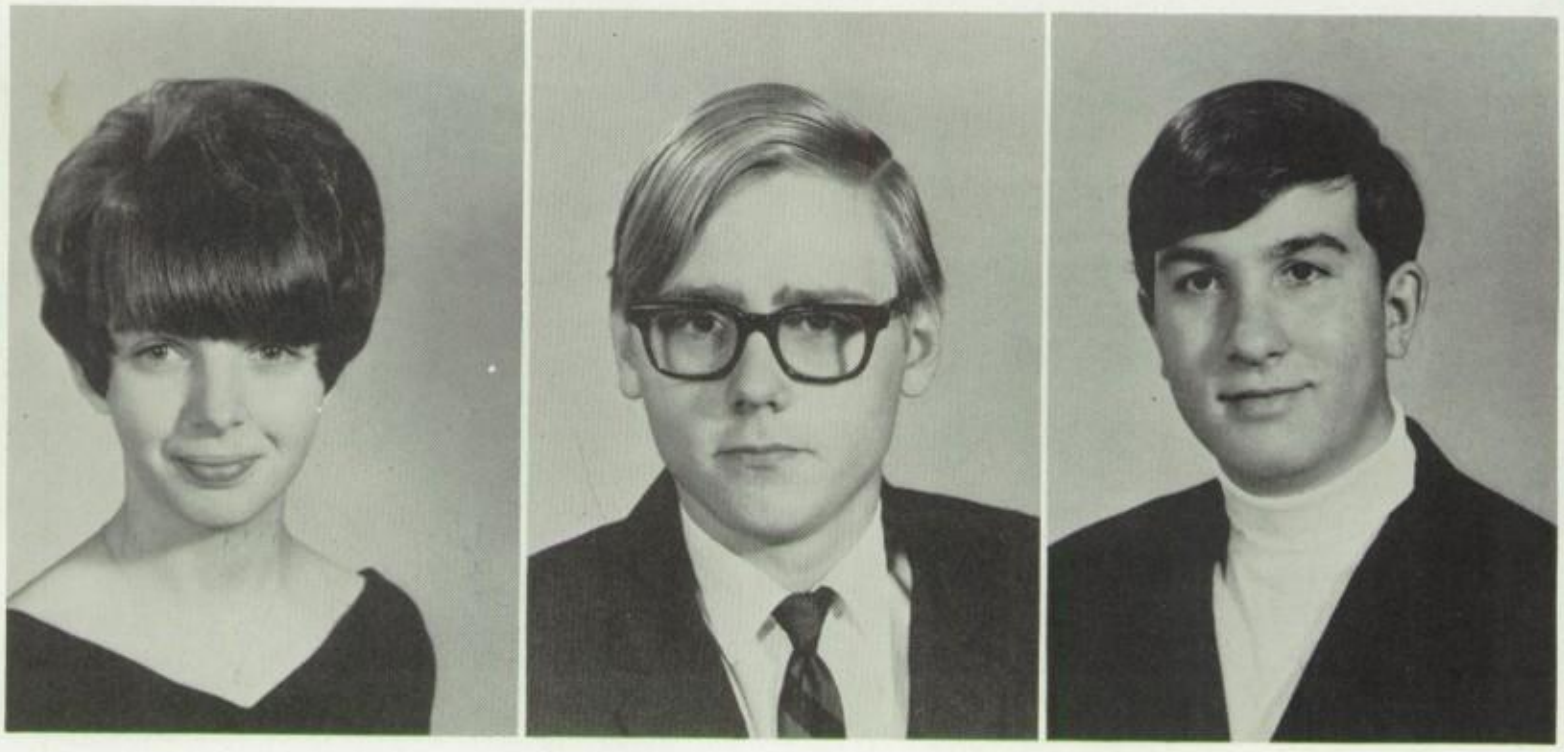

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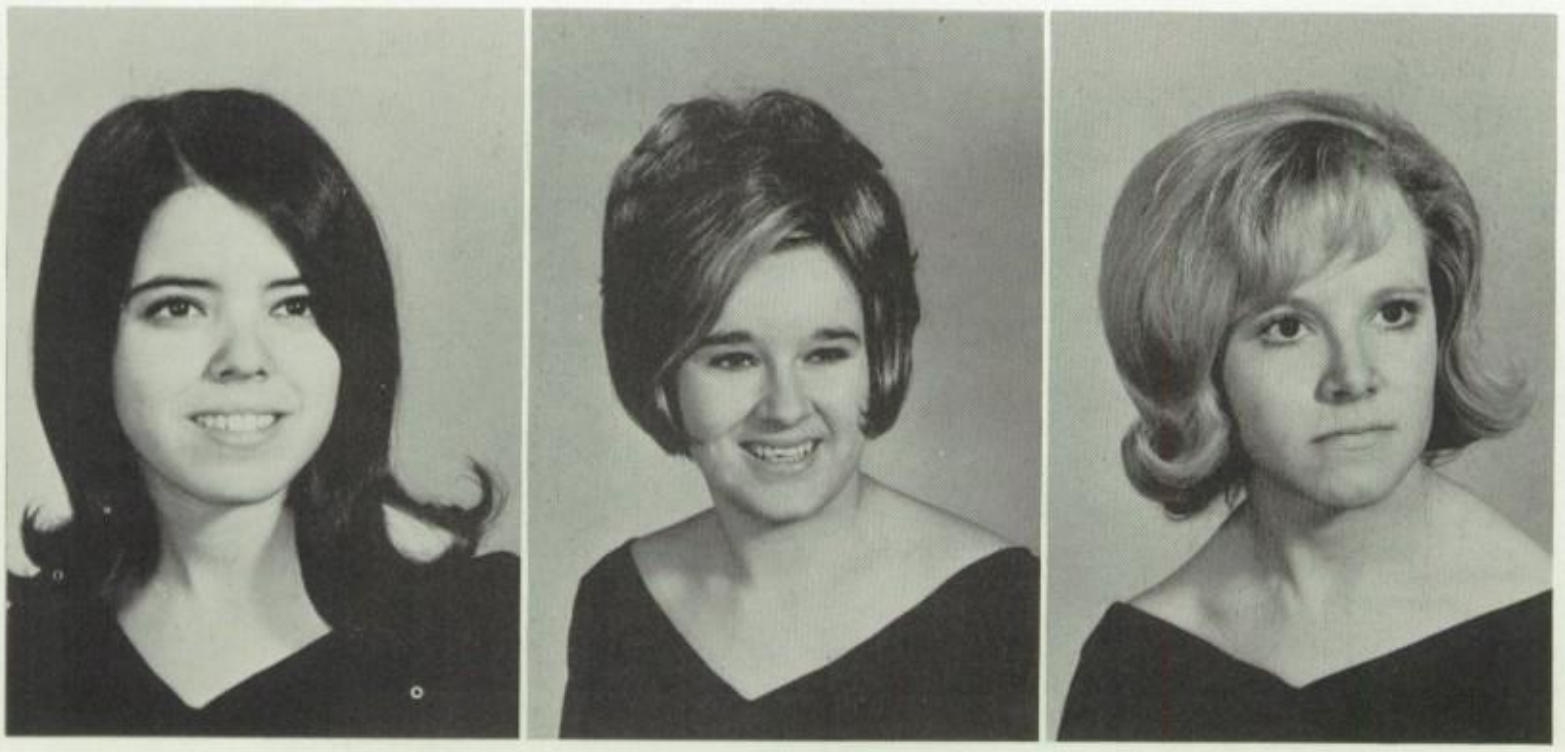

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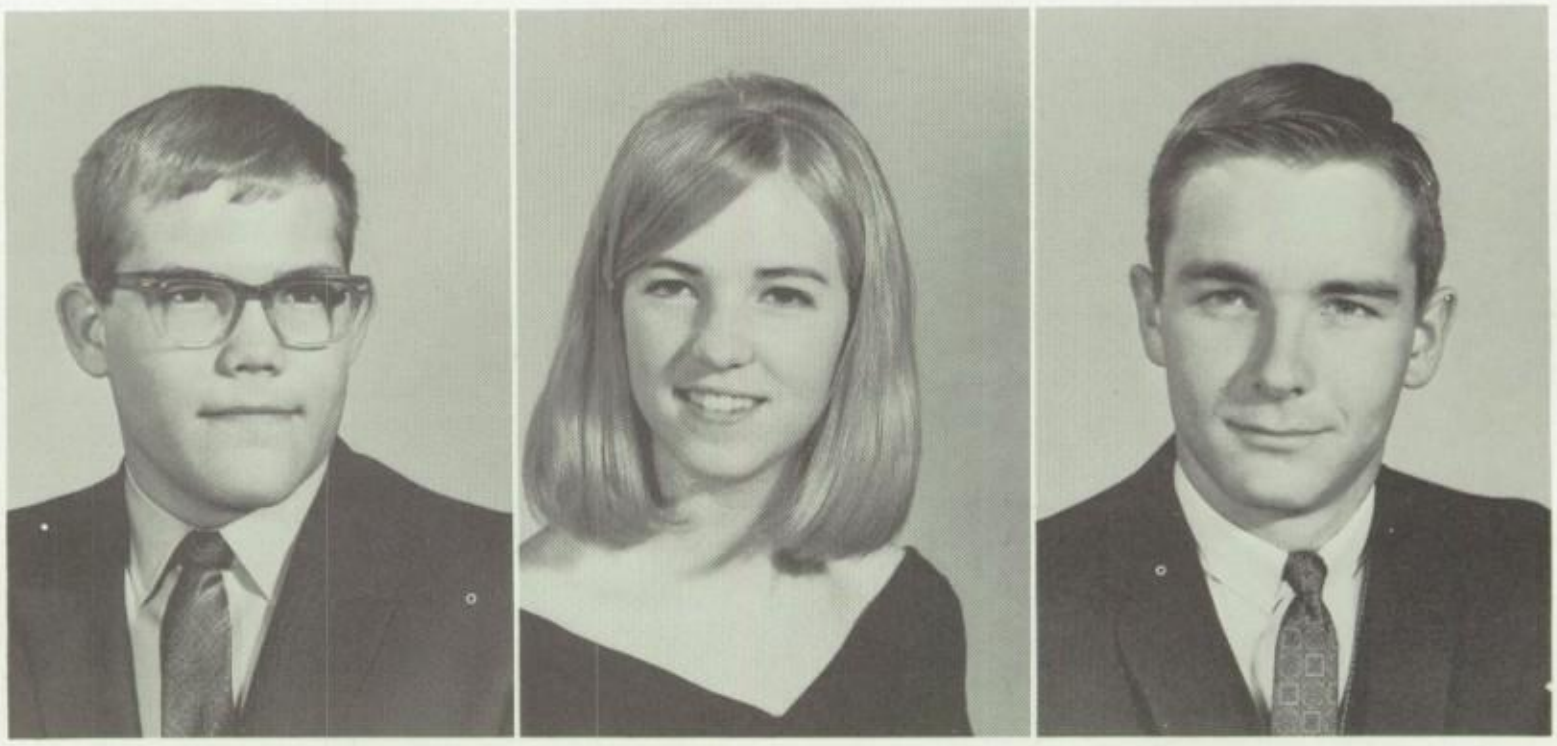

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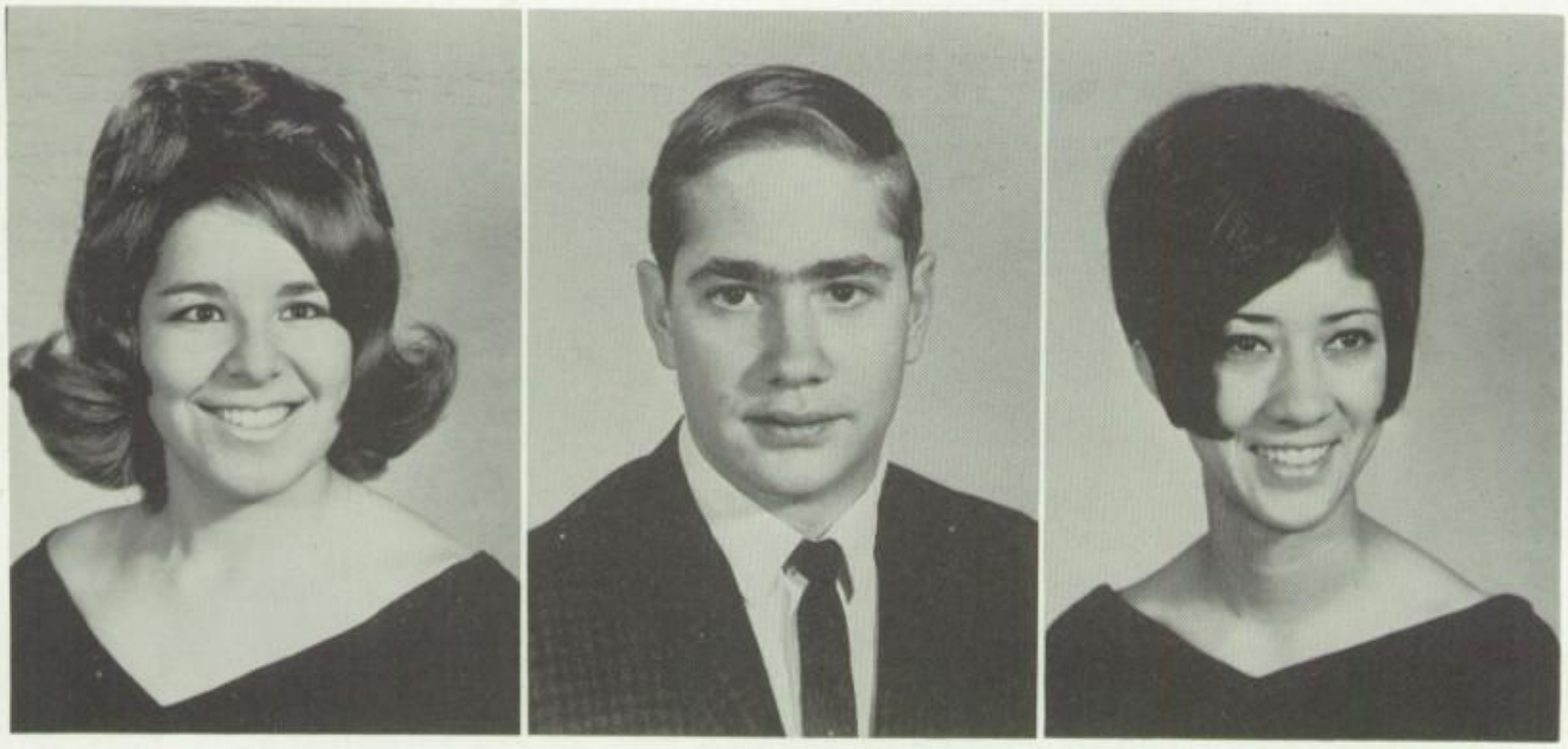

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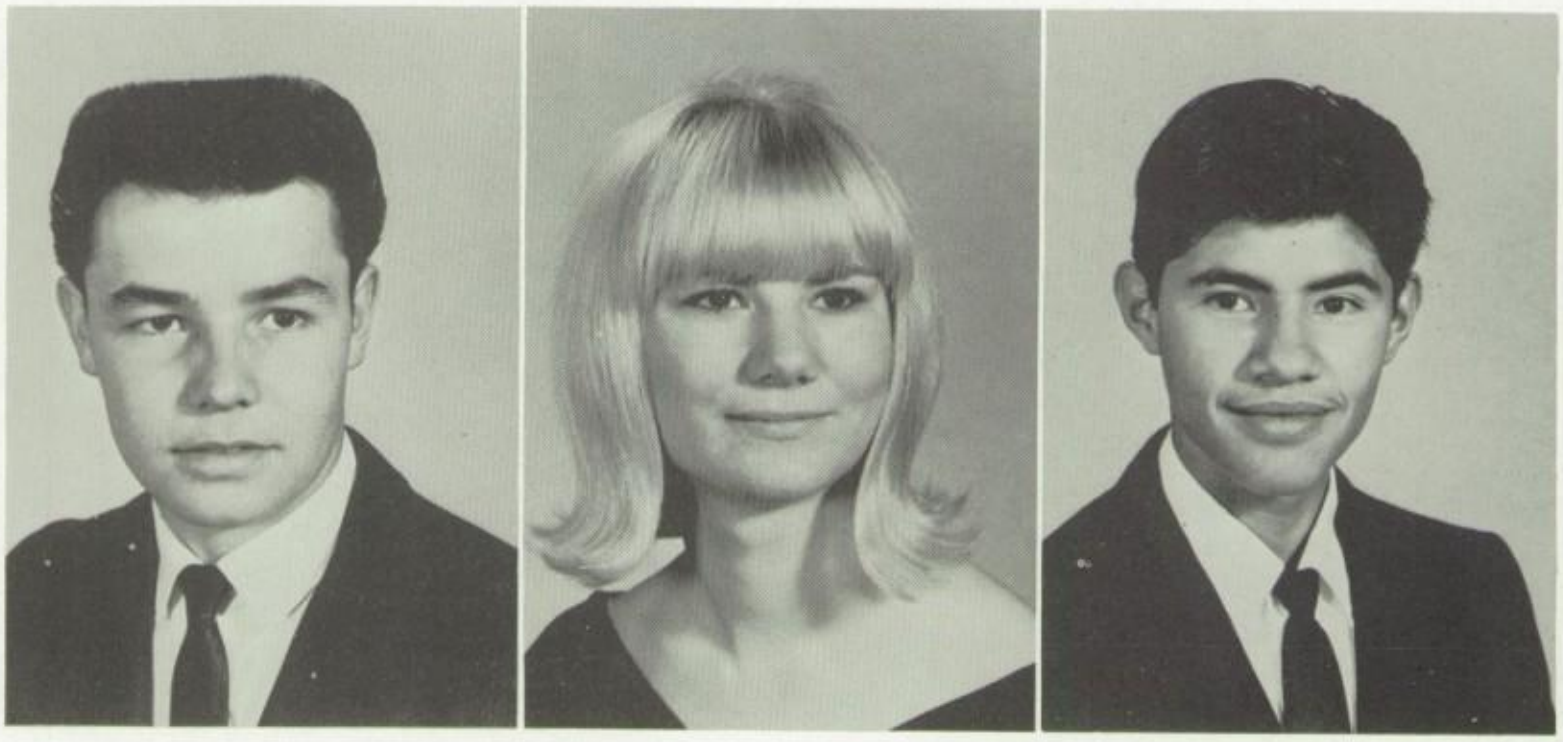

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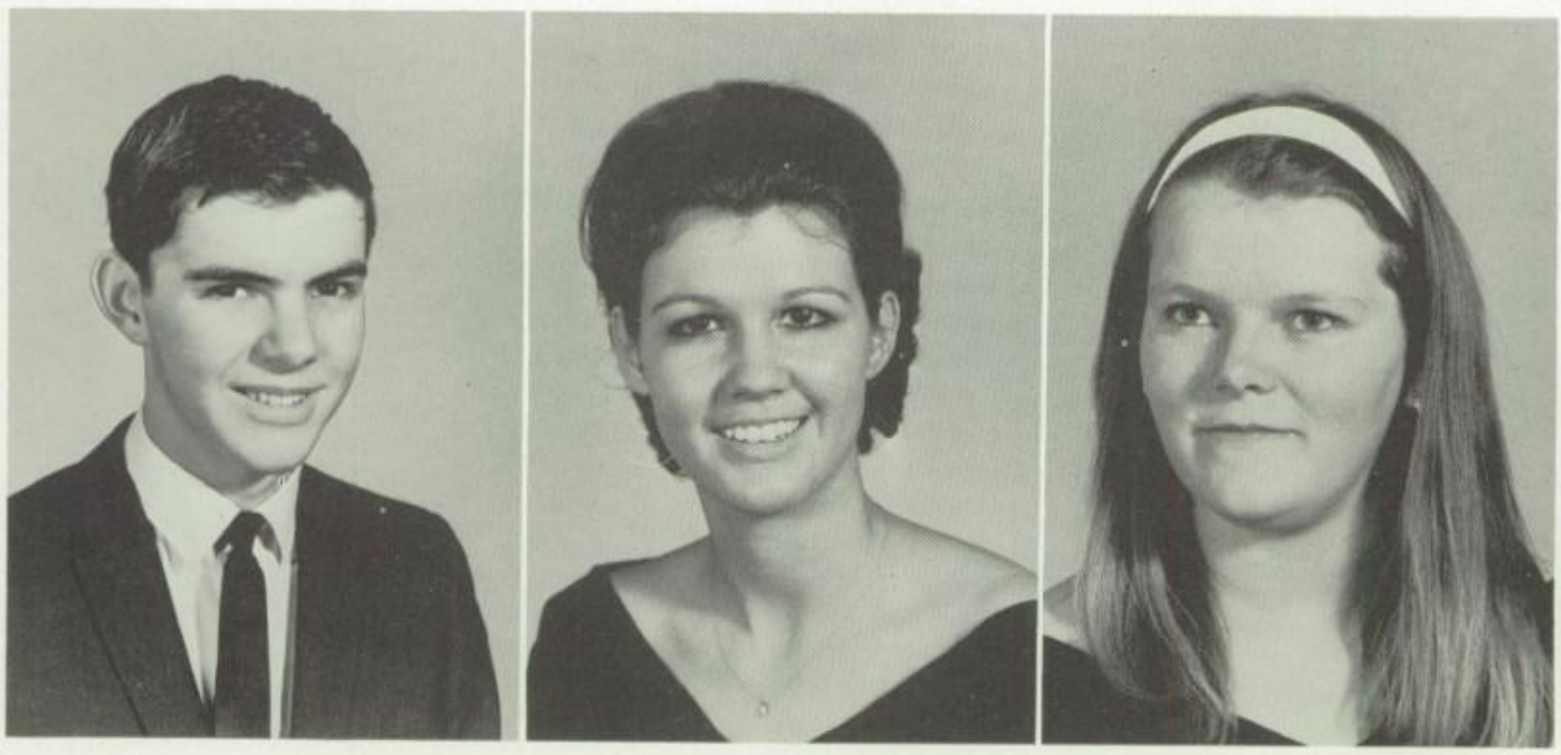

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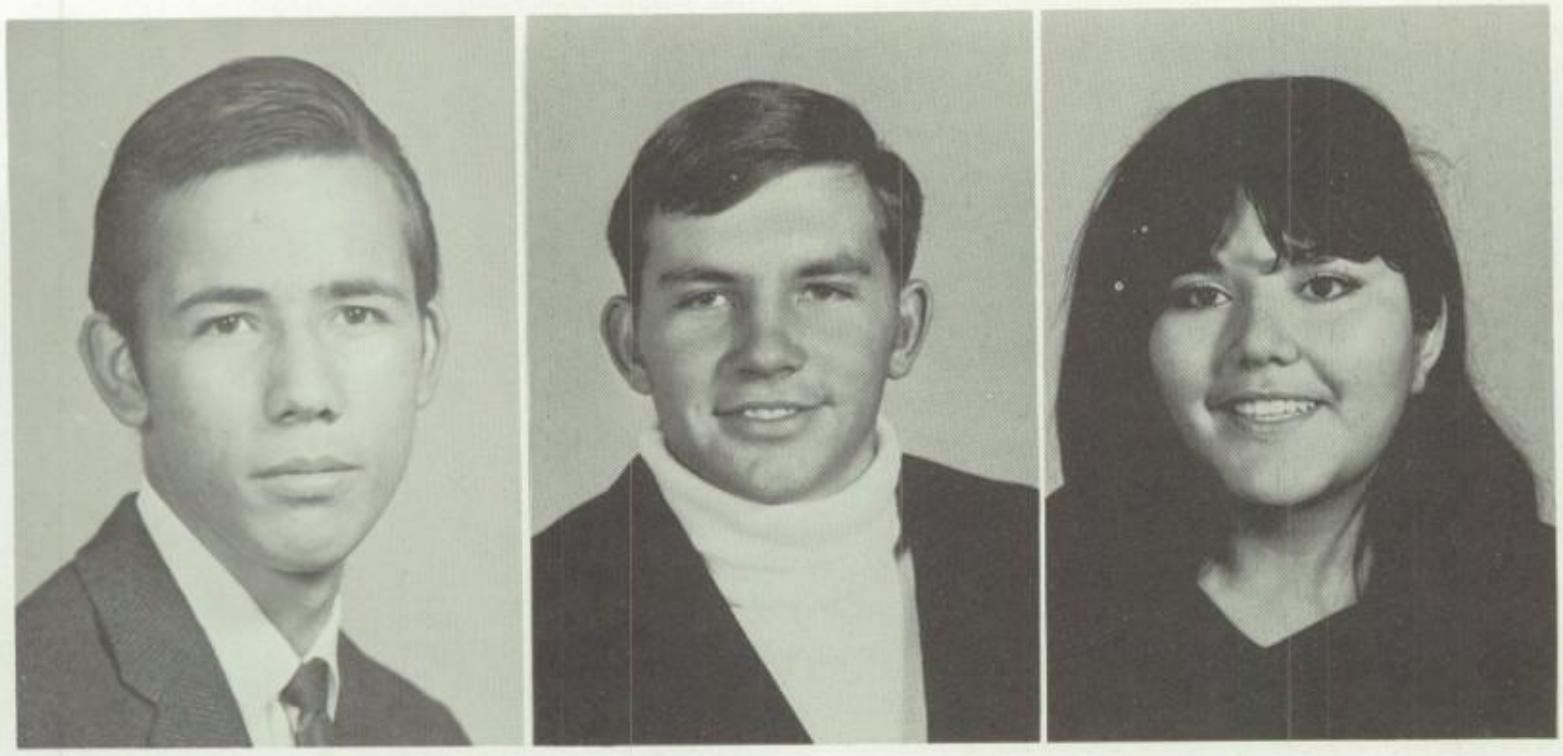

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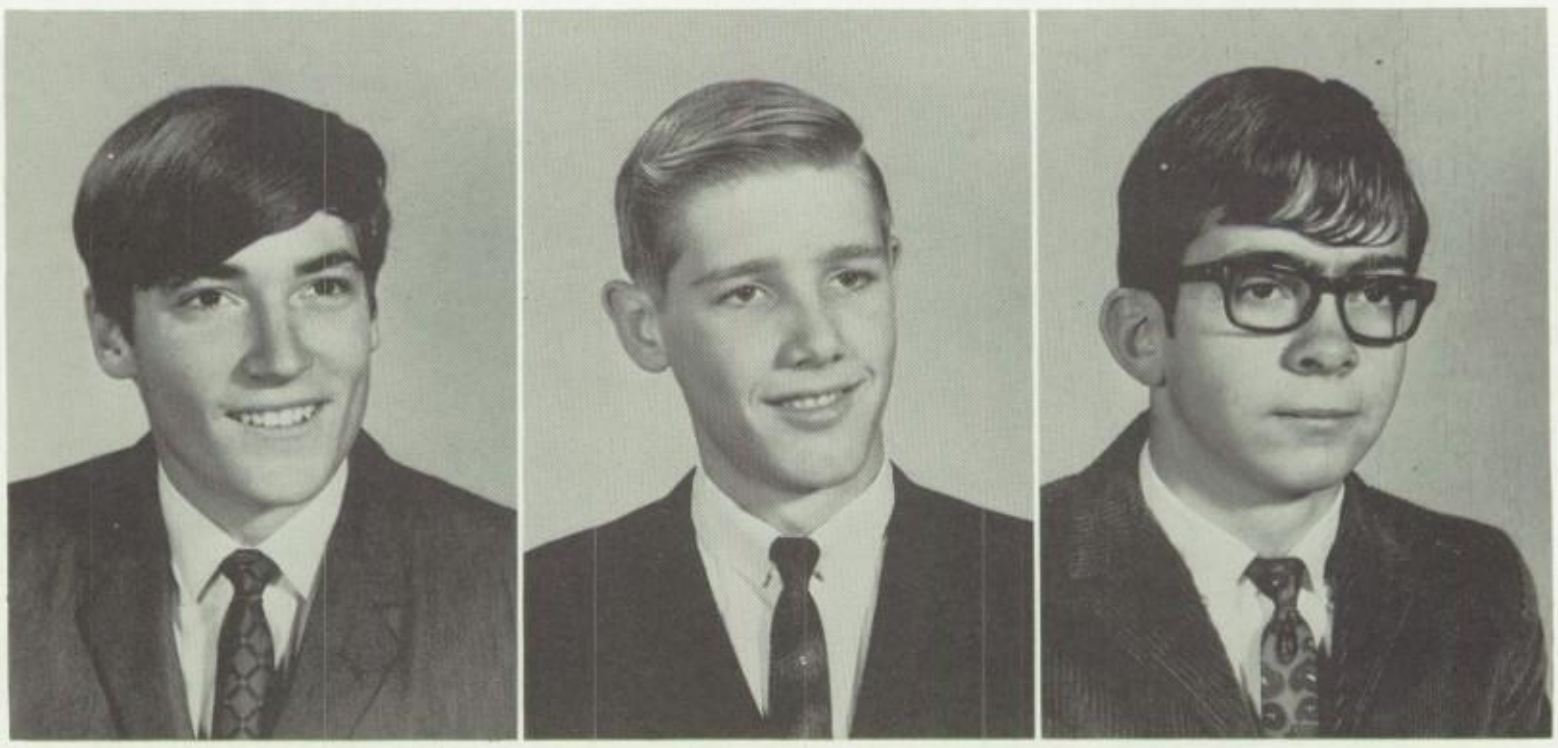

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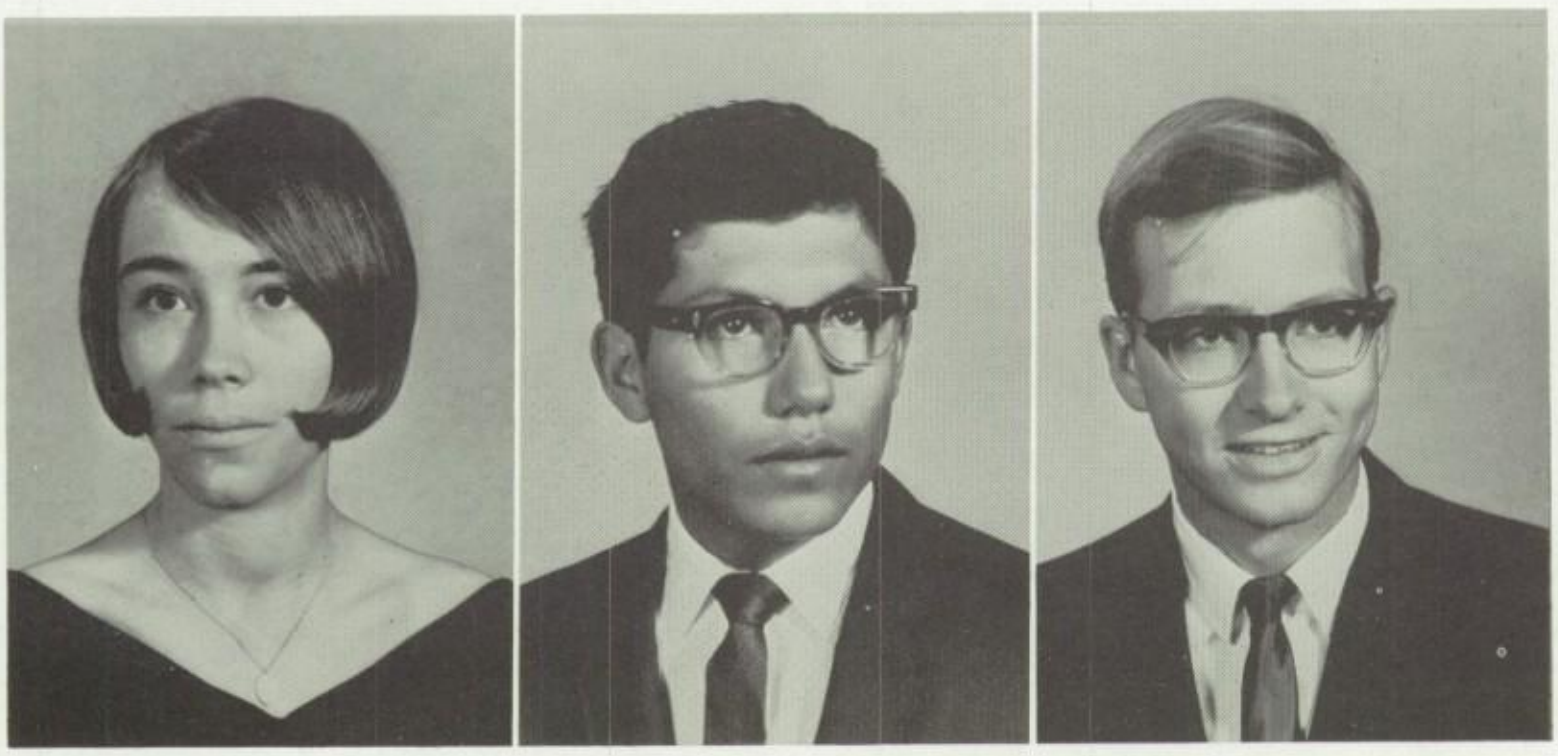

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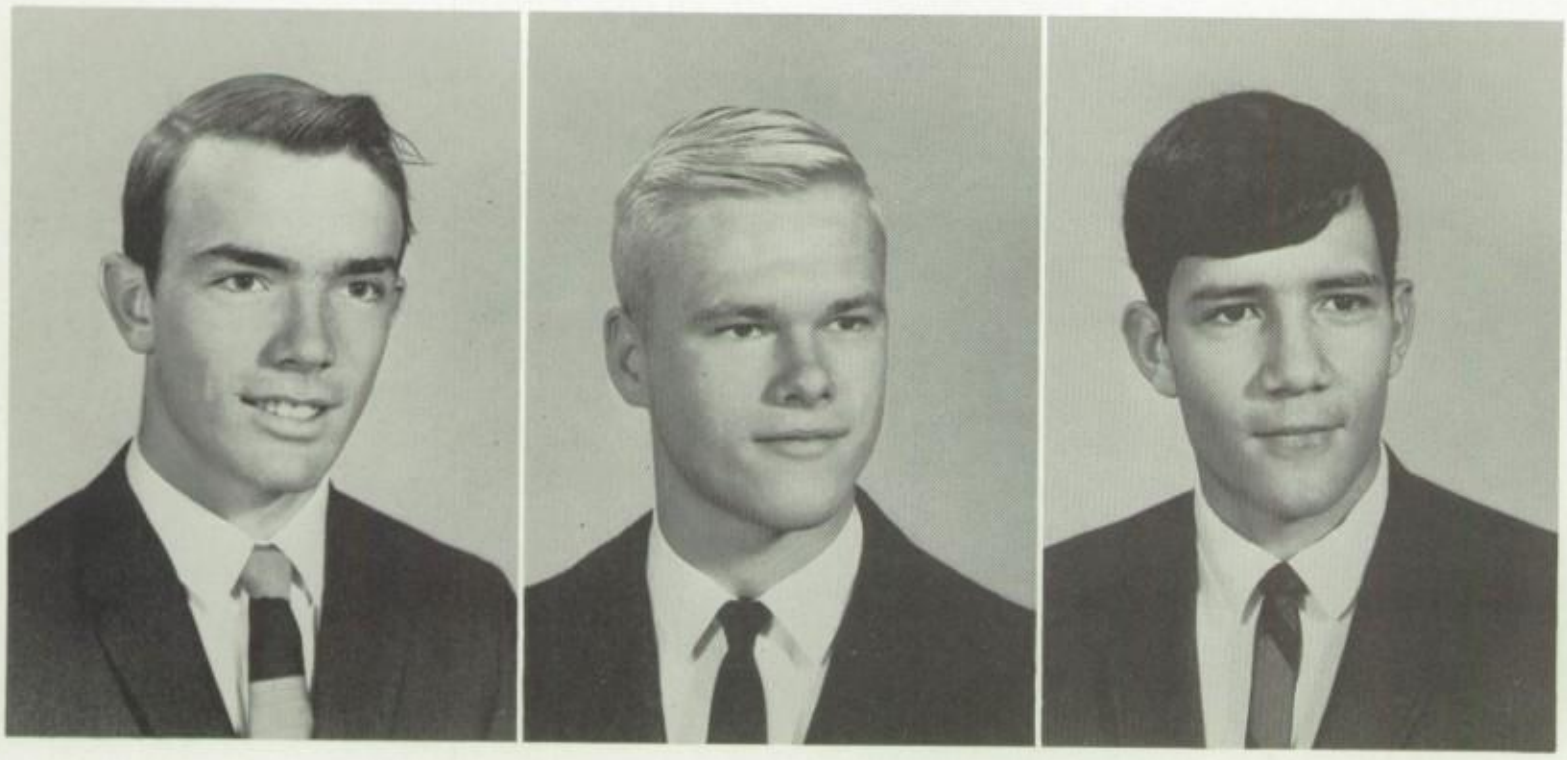

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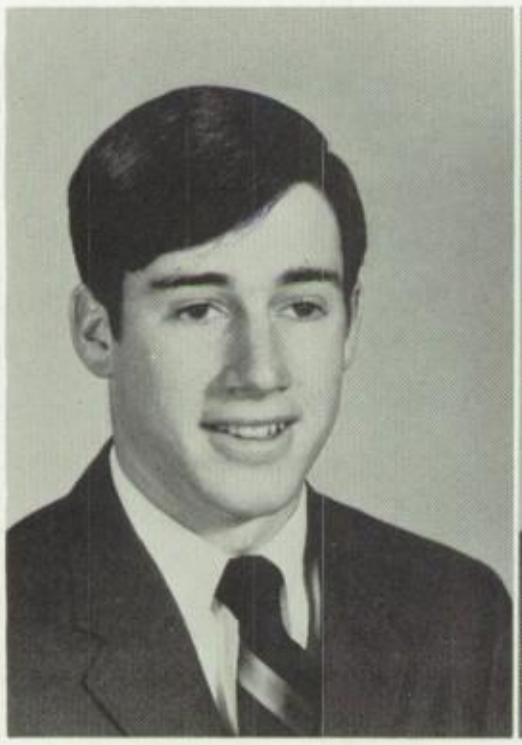

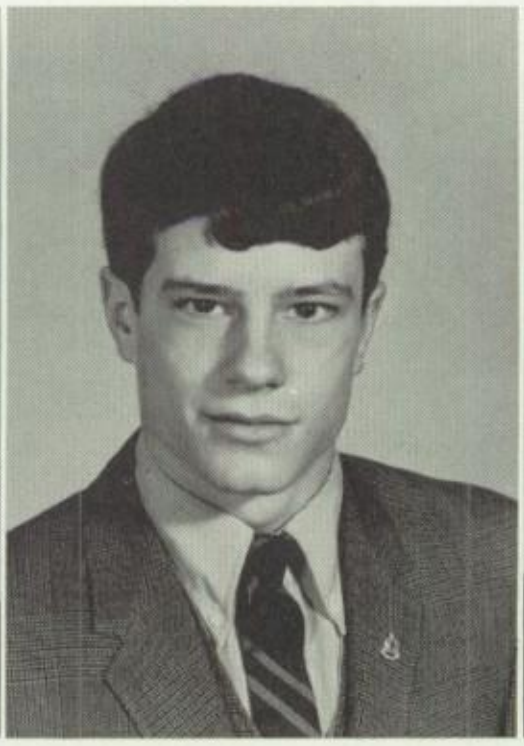

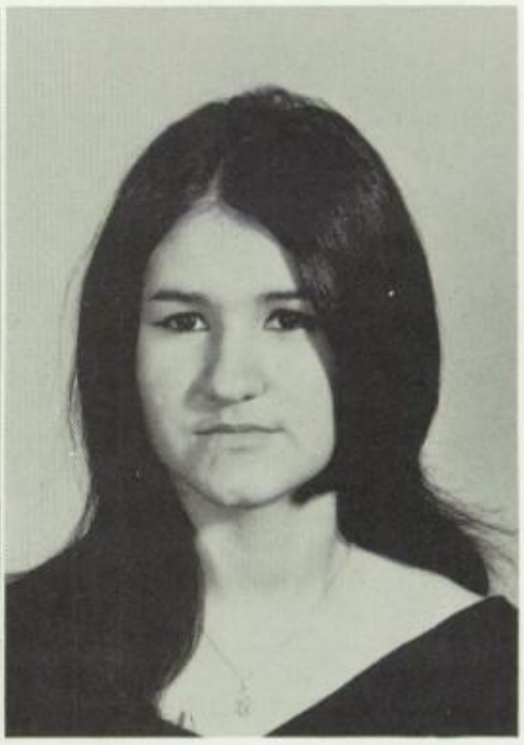

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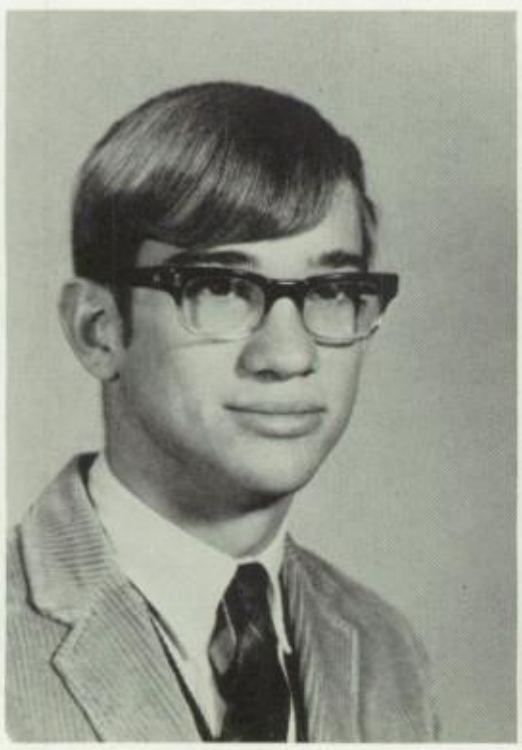

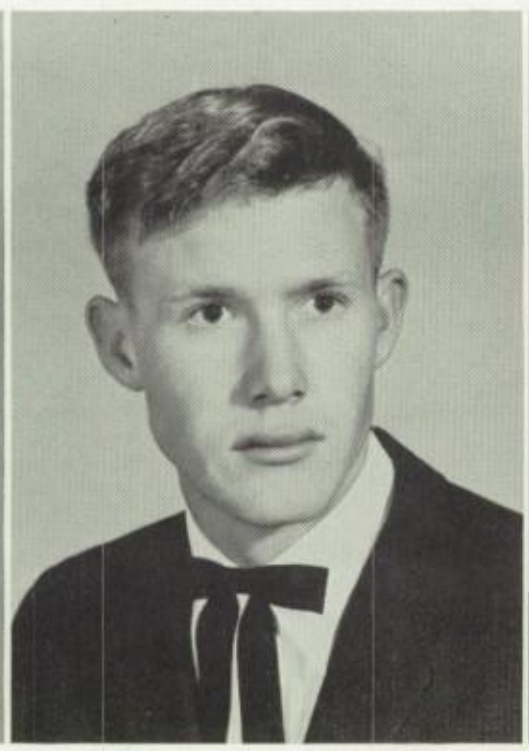

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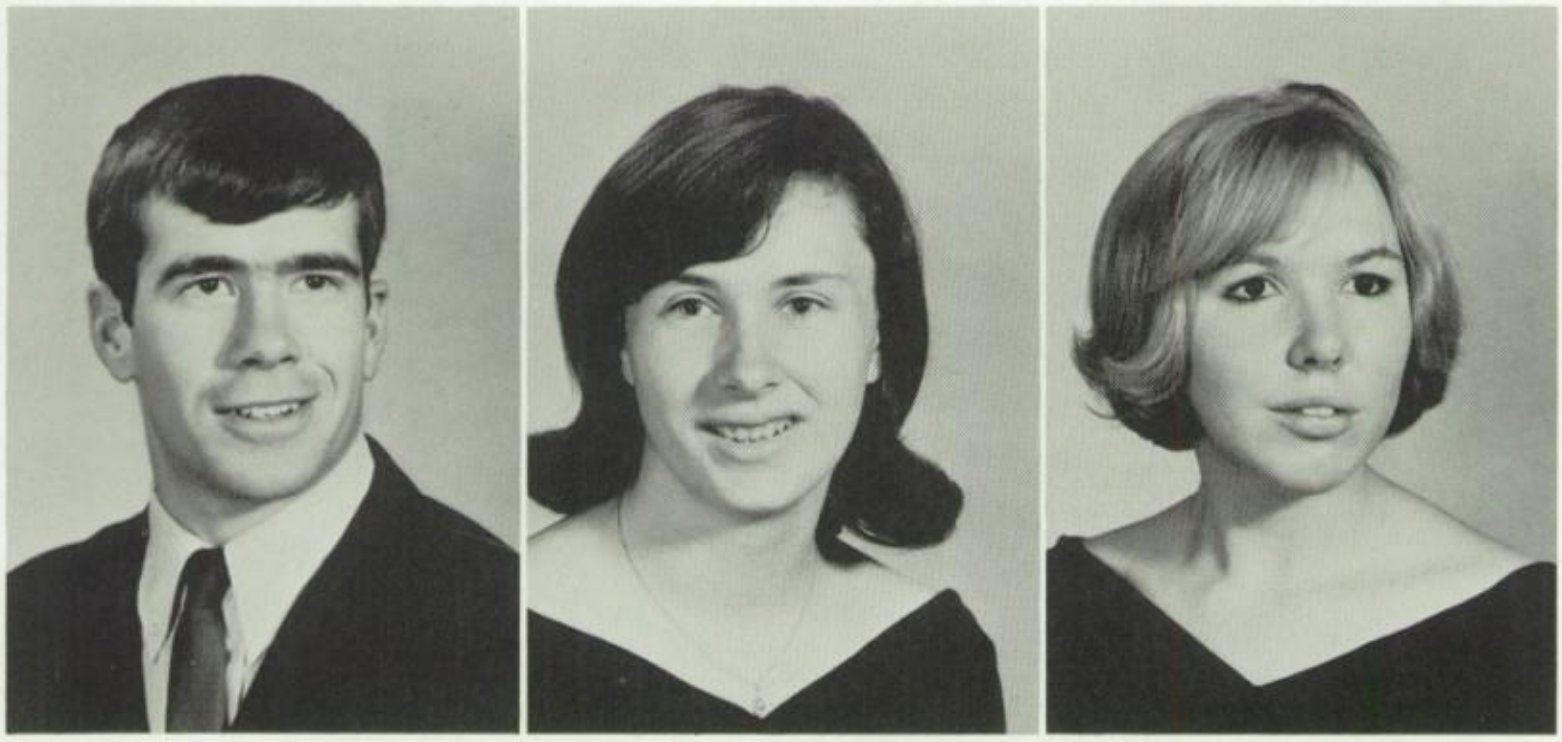

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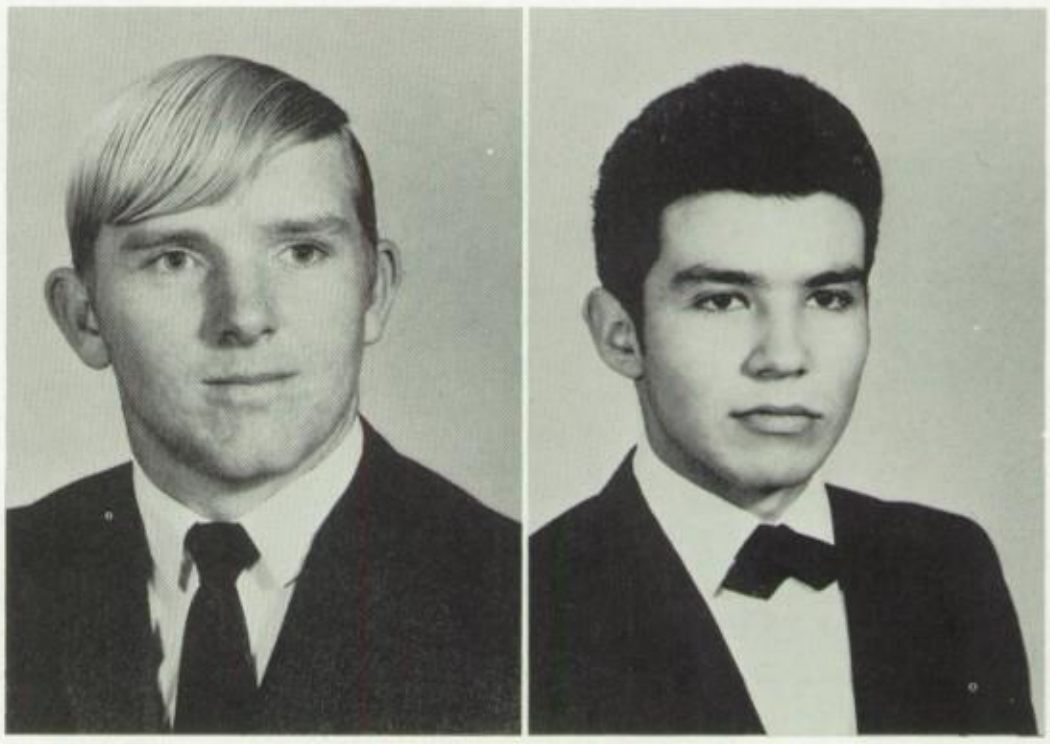

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"We're the Seniors
We are fine
We're the Class of '69"

Harry Griswold

Carlene Risinger

Dale Kelly

Yvonne Rables

Shirley Lowry

Tony Hilliard

Anna Zamora

Jane Lincoln

Dwight Mitchell

Diane Wilson

Phil Mortensen

Richard Fitzhugh

Dave Faulkner

Tom Lowry

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Cathy

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Schools

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Carol Hungate

CACTUS LOWRY

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Linda Wilson

Doug Caldwell

LINDA GONZALES

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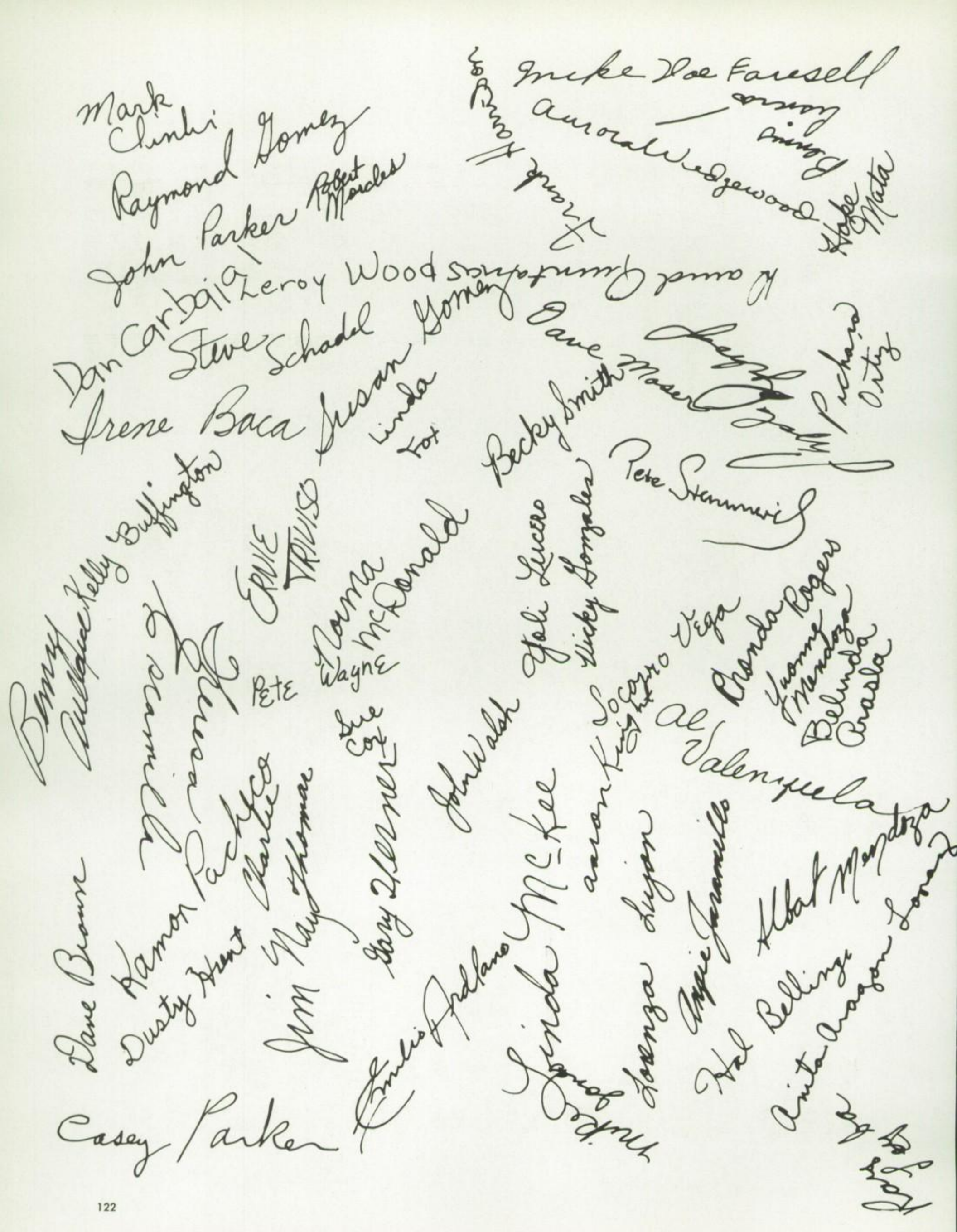
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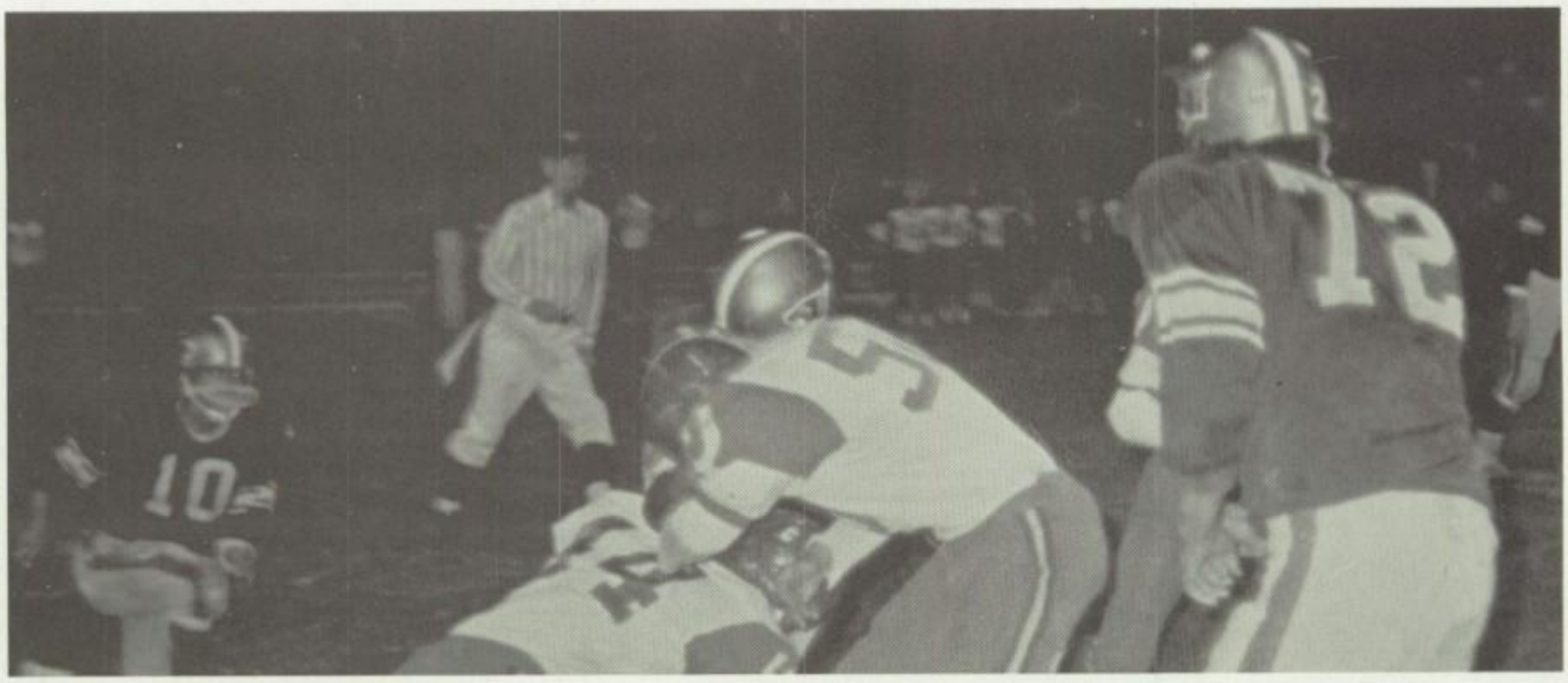
Throughout High School, Seniors

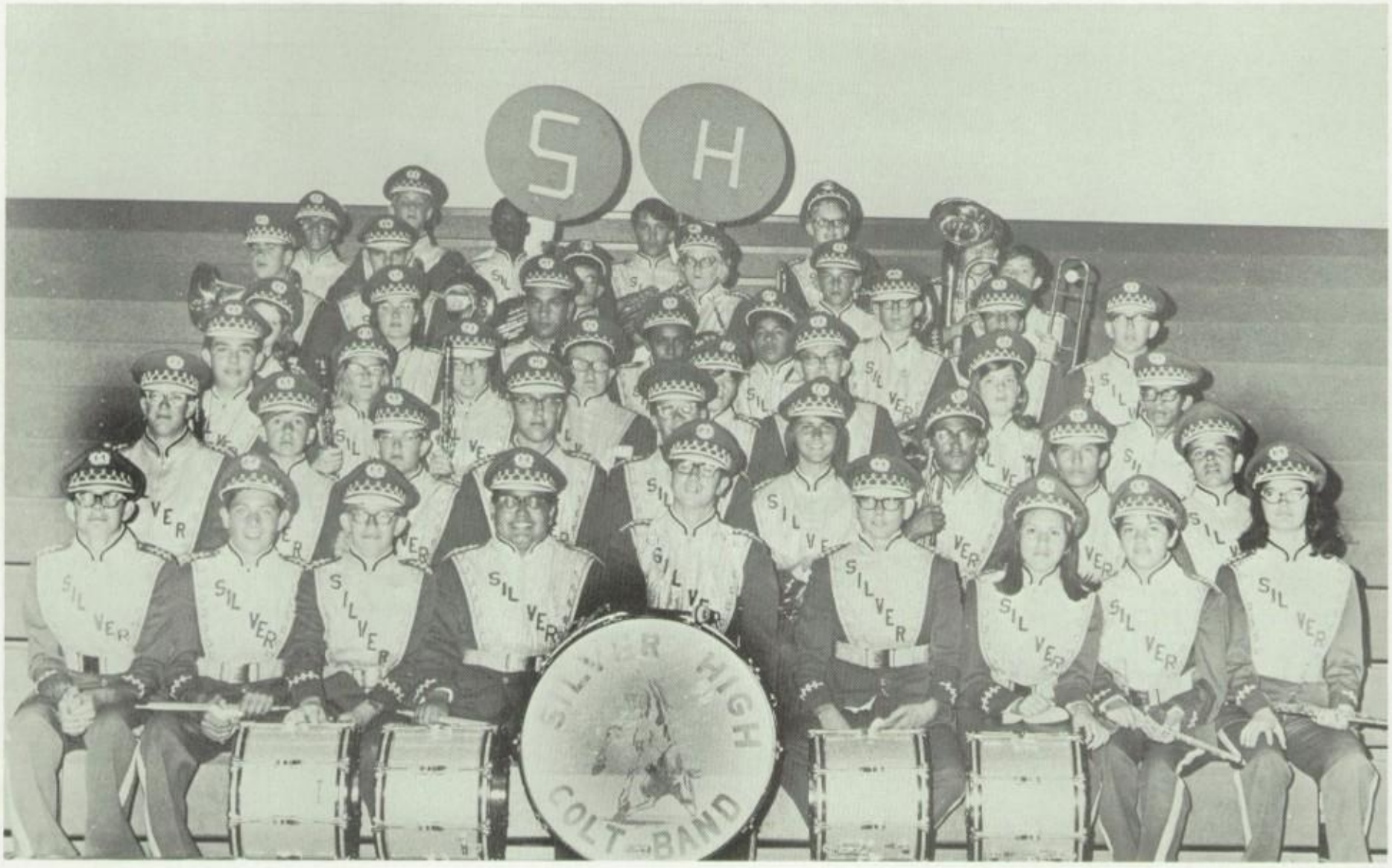
Chorus



Football

Wrestling

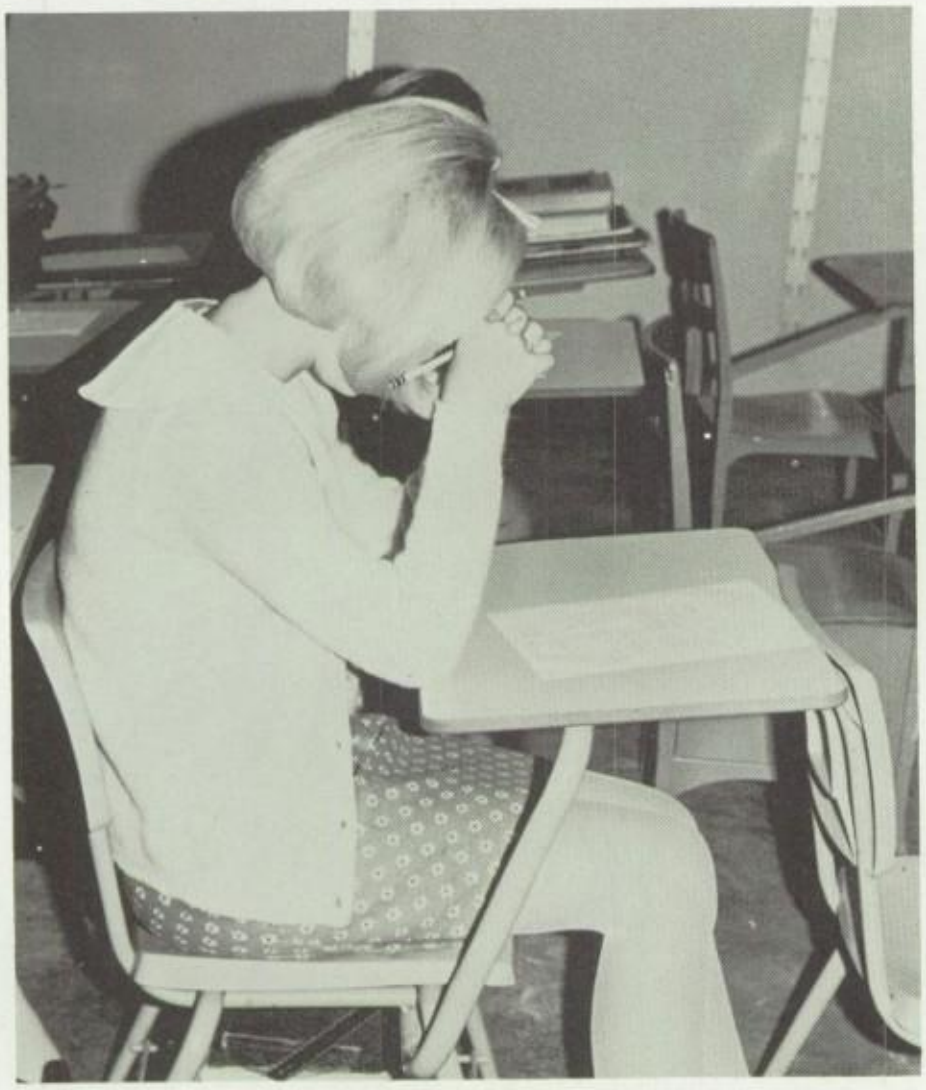
Have Participated in Various Activities



Band

Silver's Scholastic Society

Students Have Learned through . . .



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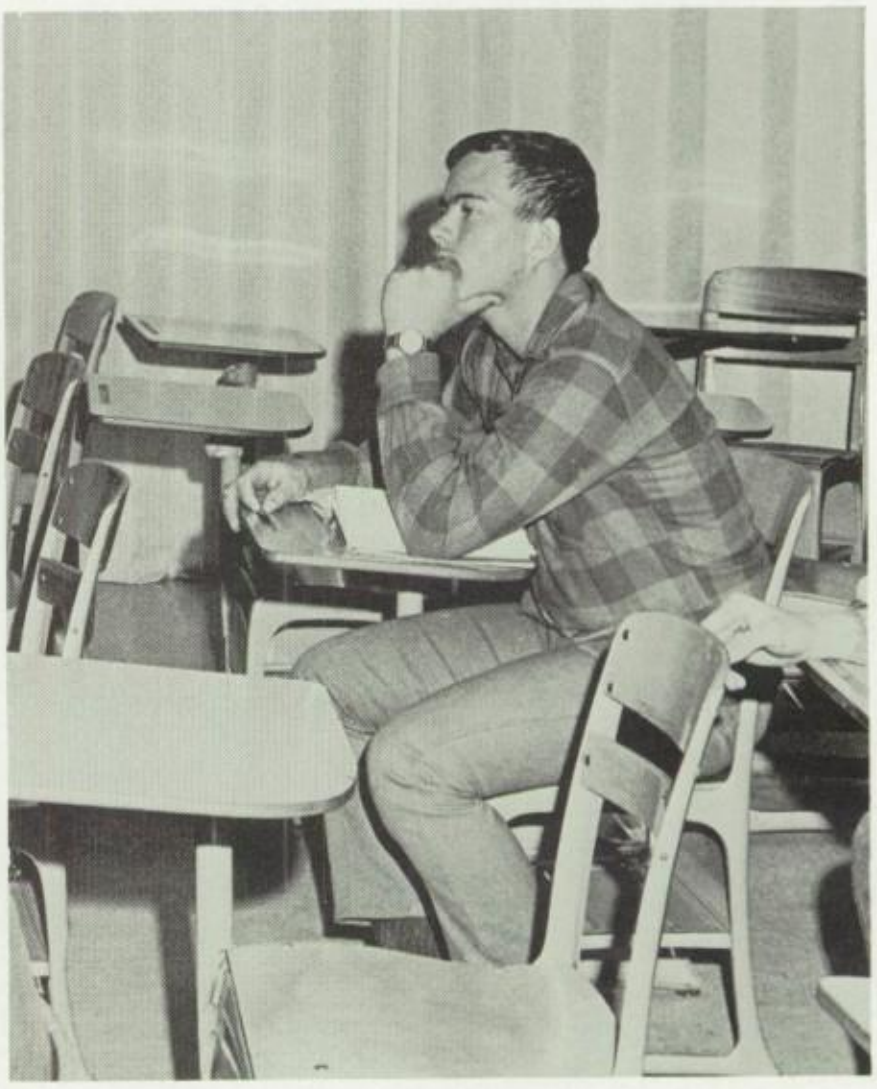

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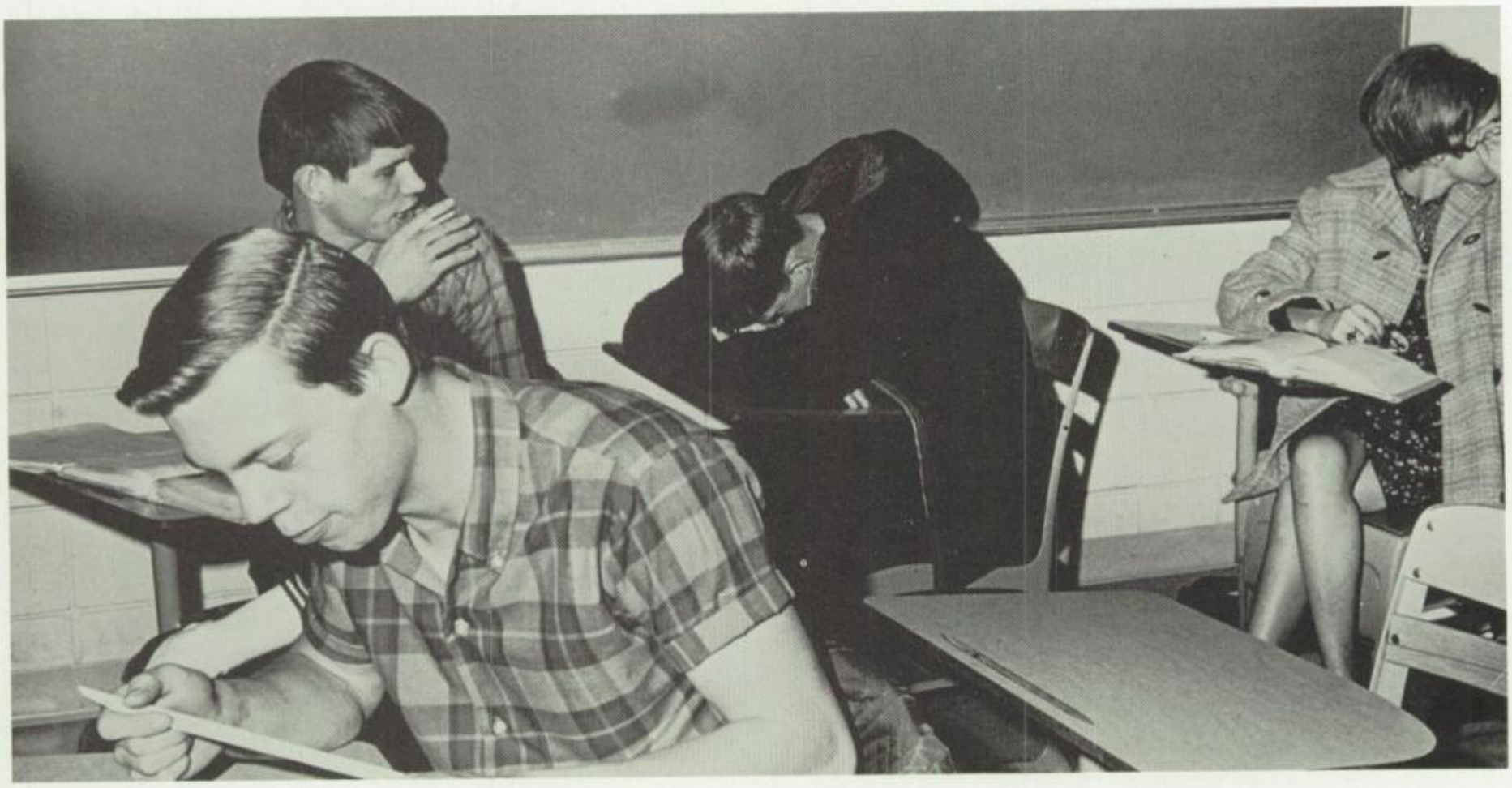
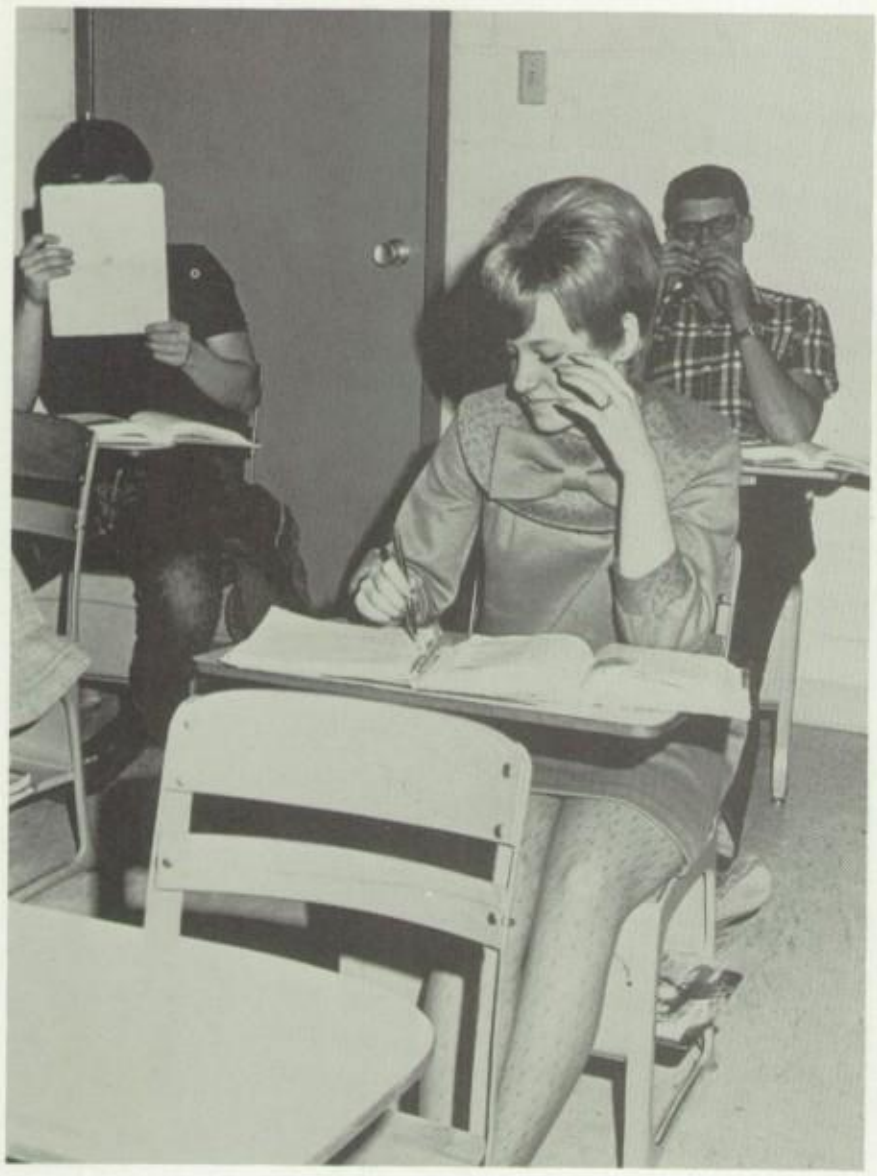


Putting their knowledge to practical use?



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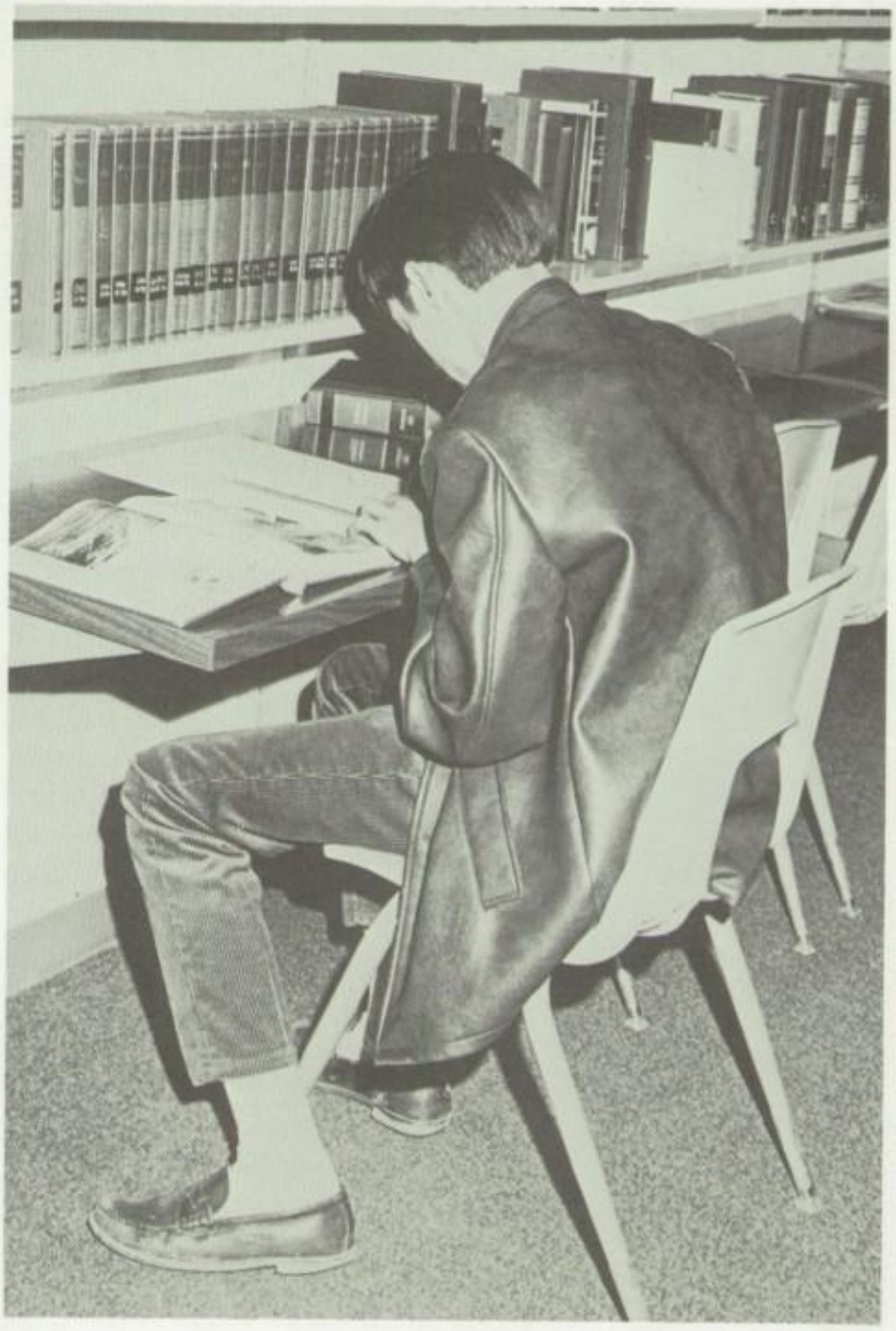

and Individual assignments.

Attendance in class.

"Lives of great men all remind us
We can make our lives sublime,
And, departing, leave behind us
Footprints on the sands of time"
Longfellow

Seniors Choose Different Careers

Government

Secretarial

Librarians

Senior Reflections

The Seniors at Silver High School, class of 1969 can delve into the deep realms of their memories and pull out such remembrances as the half day split sessions, when the gloating seniors of '66 left the building at noon, smiling at the present seniors (then freshmen) as these freshmen began their vigorous day of classes.

And what Senior could forget the many times we reluctantly showed up at the first of each year to register?

We cannot forget the paint-spattered Freshman day on the "S" under the gentle observation and supervision of the understanding Seniors.

Seniors remember, with fondness, and entire era of foreign students: Sven Silburn, Adolpho Cotta, Rudy Abma, and Peter Stemmerich

Other senior's recollections include the many games, plays, dances, assemblies, Homecoming preparation, the Snake dances, pep rallies and all of the other things that go into making Homecoming a success.

We seniors especially remember the year the Colts won the District Basketball Championship, and went on to the State Tournament in Albuquerque.

All of the Seniors can remember their first prom and the nervousness in the coming of this event for which they had worked so hard, and had looked forward to so long. Most important Seniors remember the scores of new friends they have made over their four years at Silver High School. And now foremost in the minds of the seniors, is graduation—preparing for the day when they will walk out of the doors of Silver High School for the very last time.

Juniors

Lori Hill
Secretary

Tommy Bustillos
President

Kathy Norman
Treasurer

Marla Adkins
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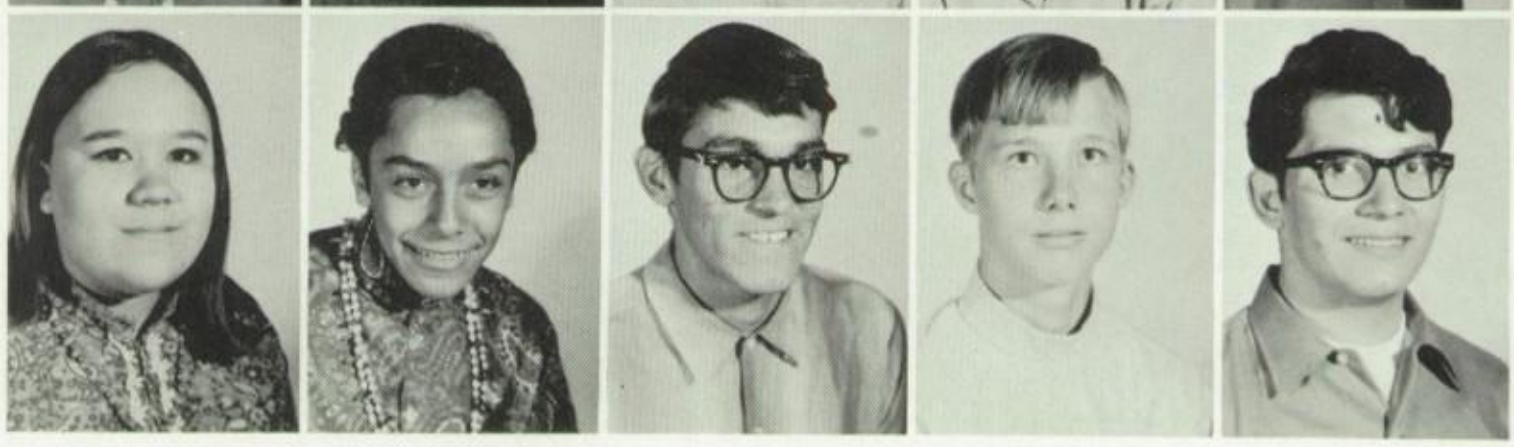

Class of 1970

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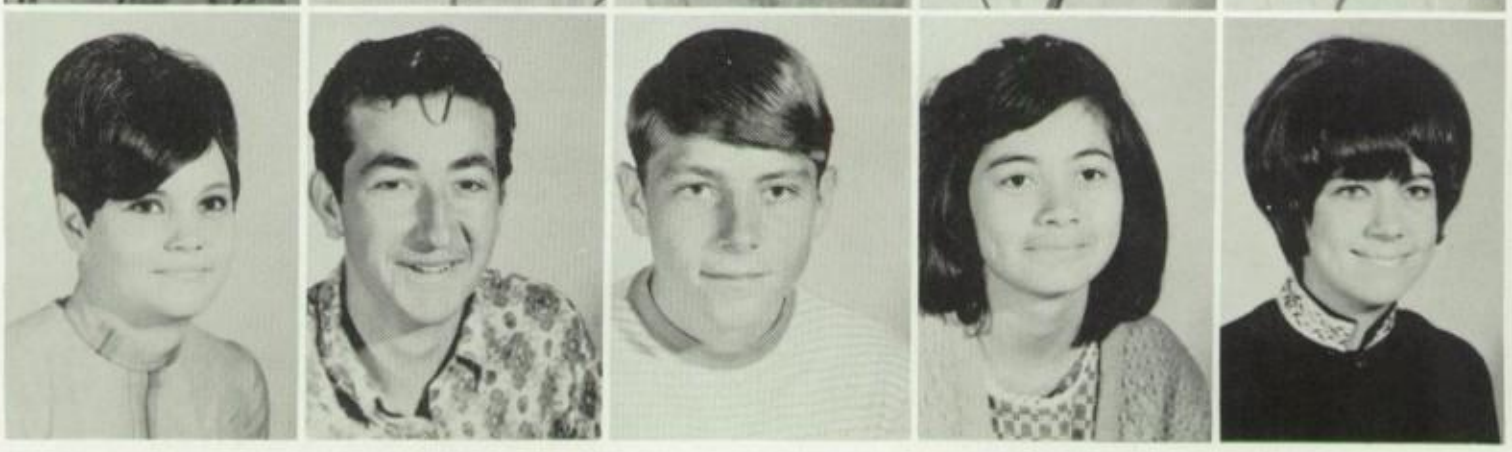
Joe Barragon
Viki Battishill
Sammy Bencomo
Paul Berver

Geraldine Blair
Jerry Blancett
David Brandt
Alice Bueno
Valerie Bullington



Pam Burns
Tommy Bustillos
Ernest Castanon
Mary Ann Castanon
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"We're the Juniors on the go
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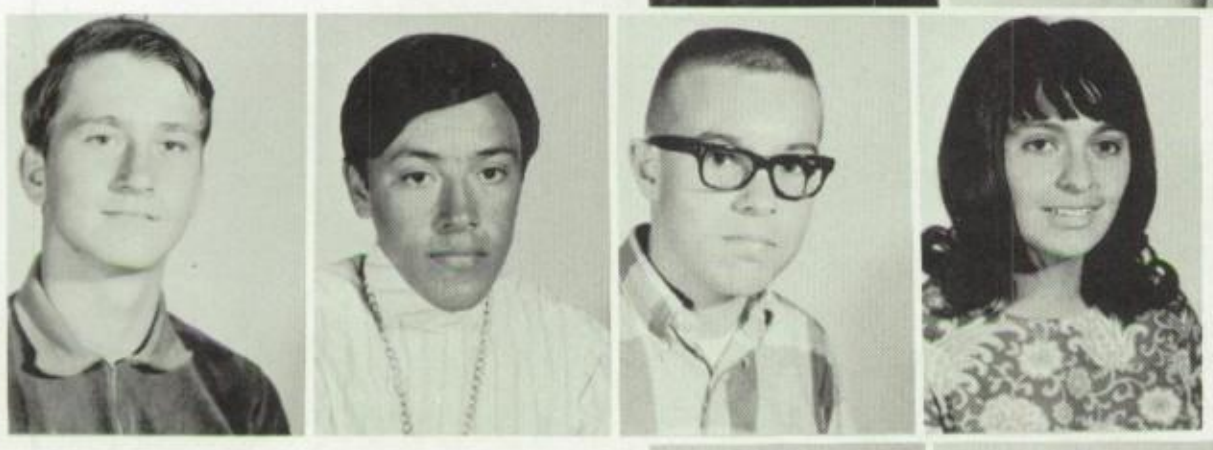

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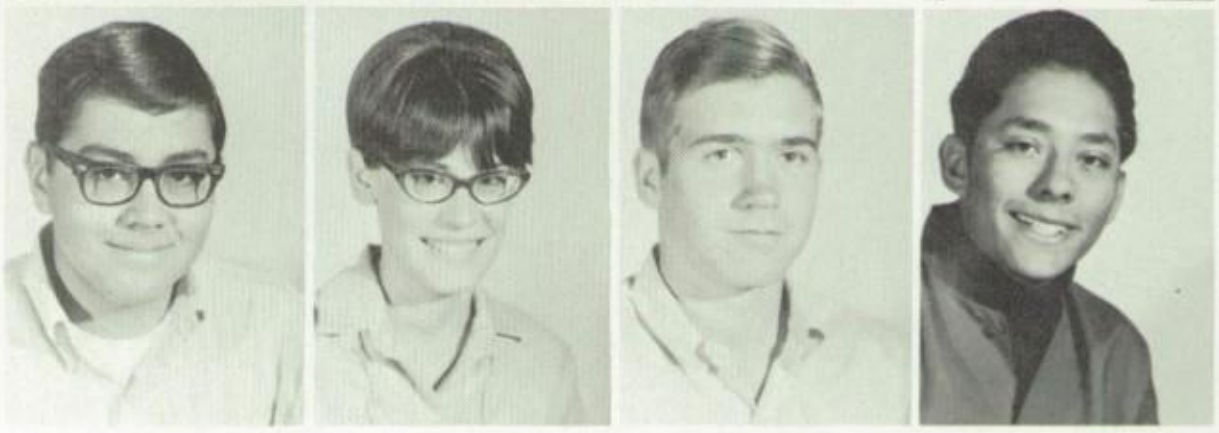

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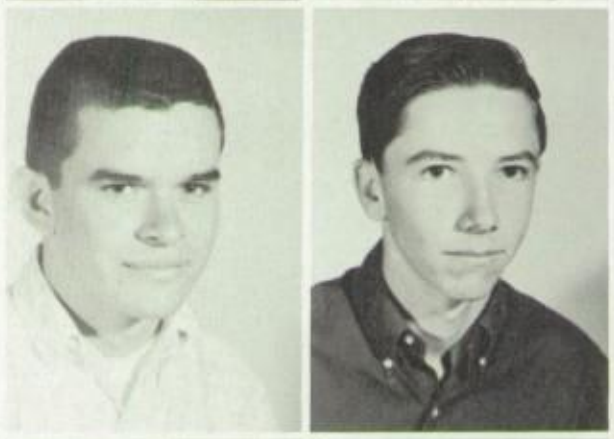

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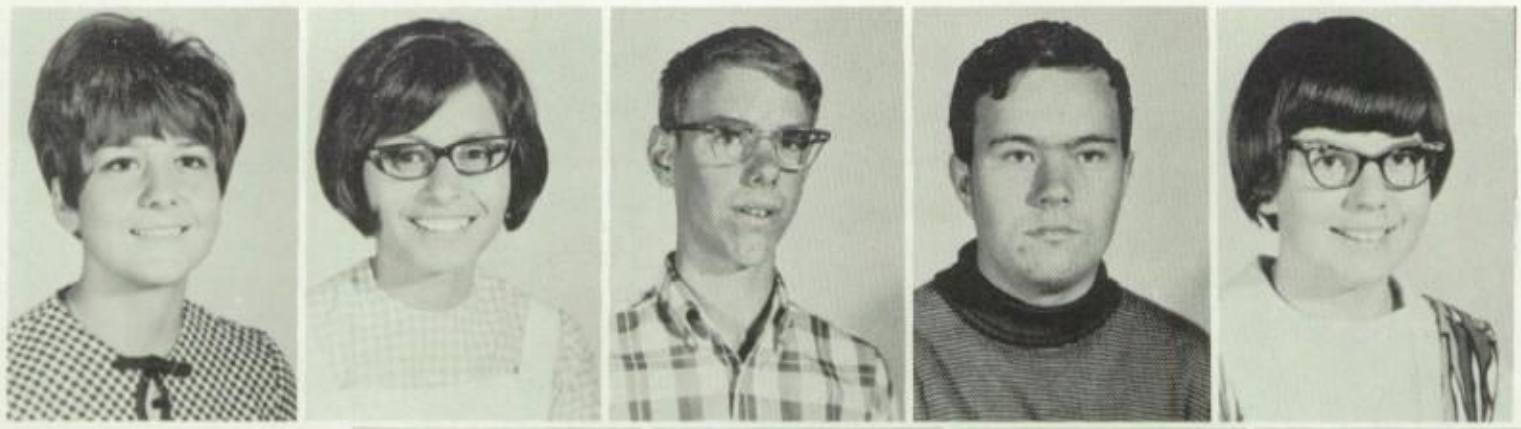

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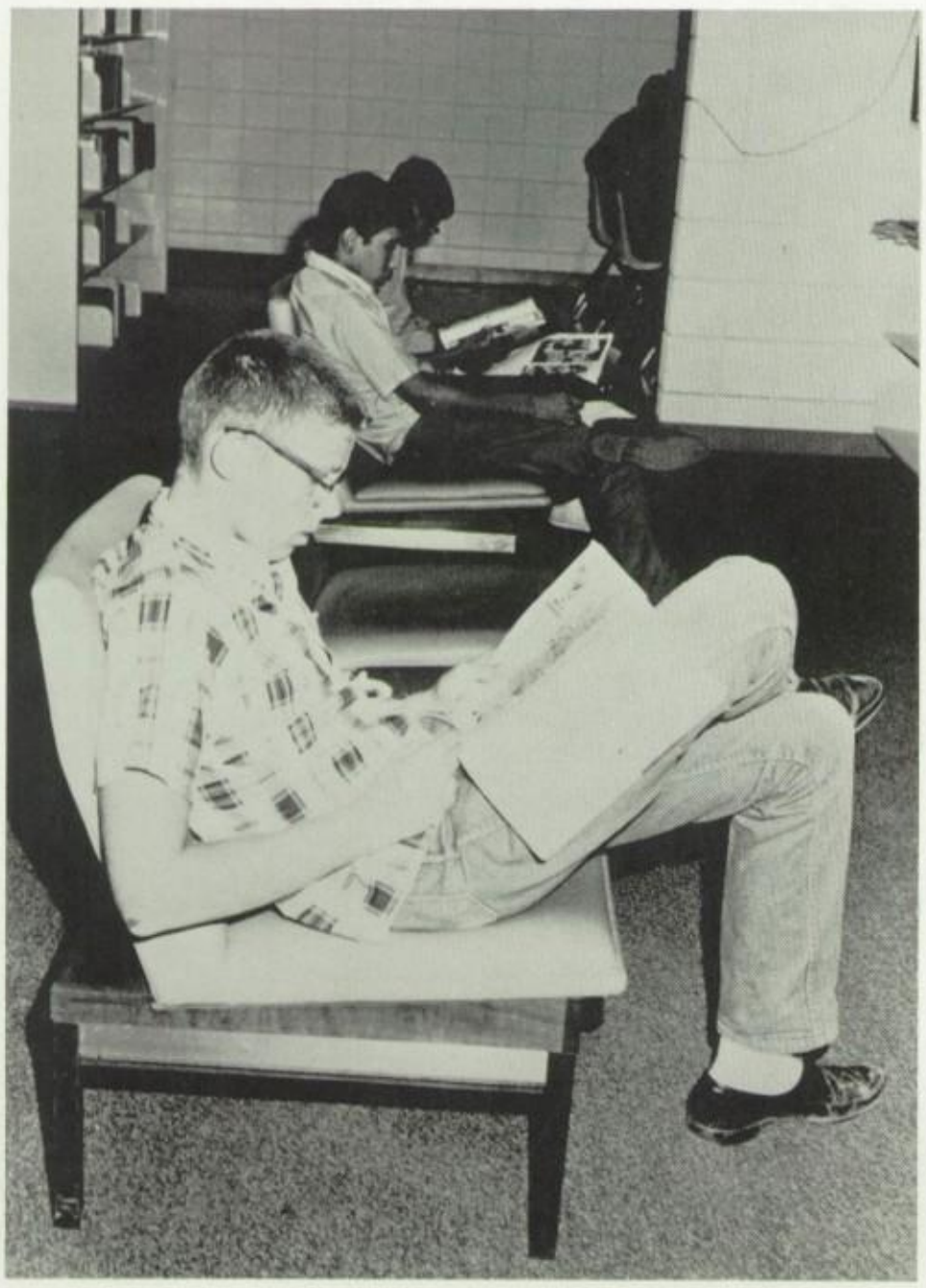

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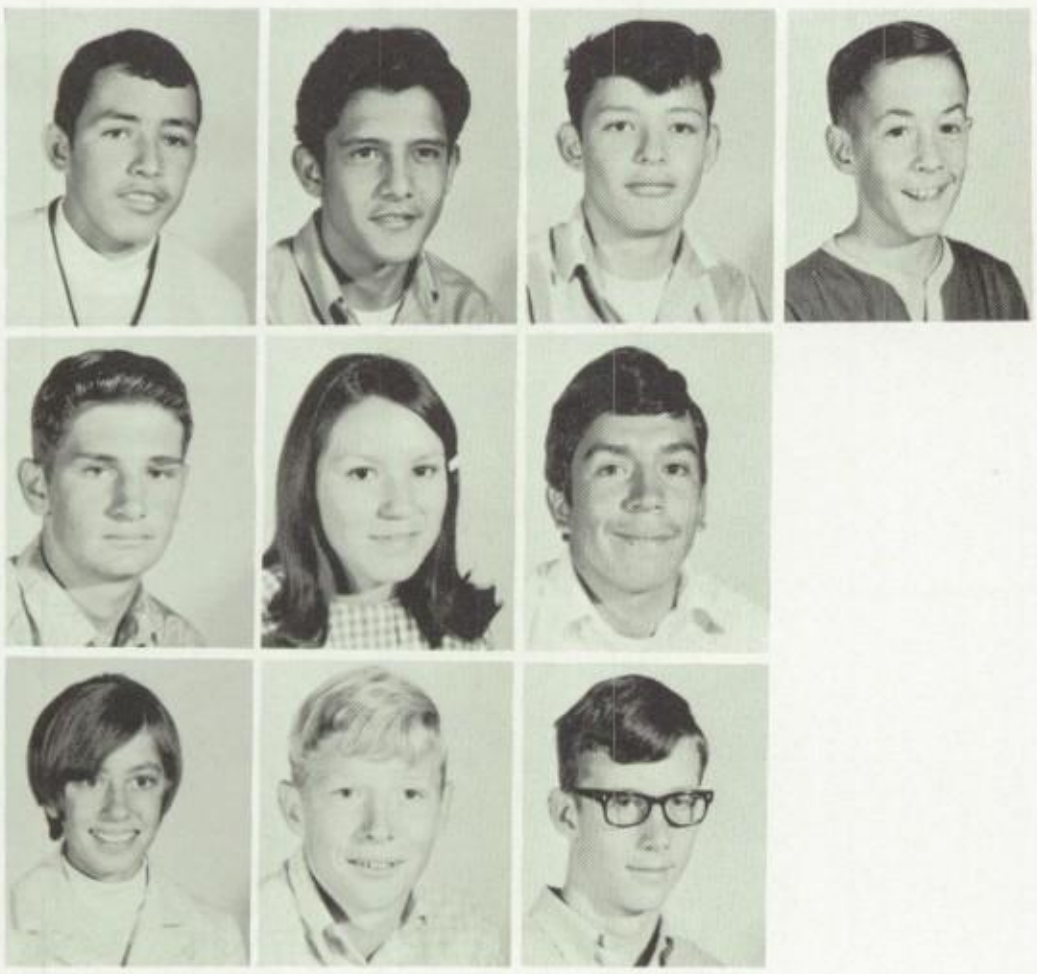

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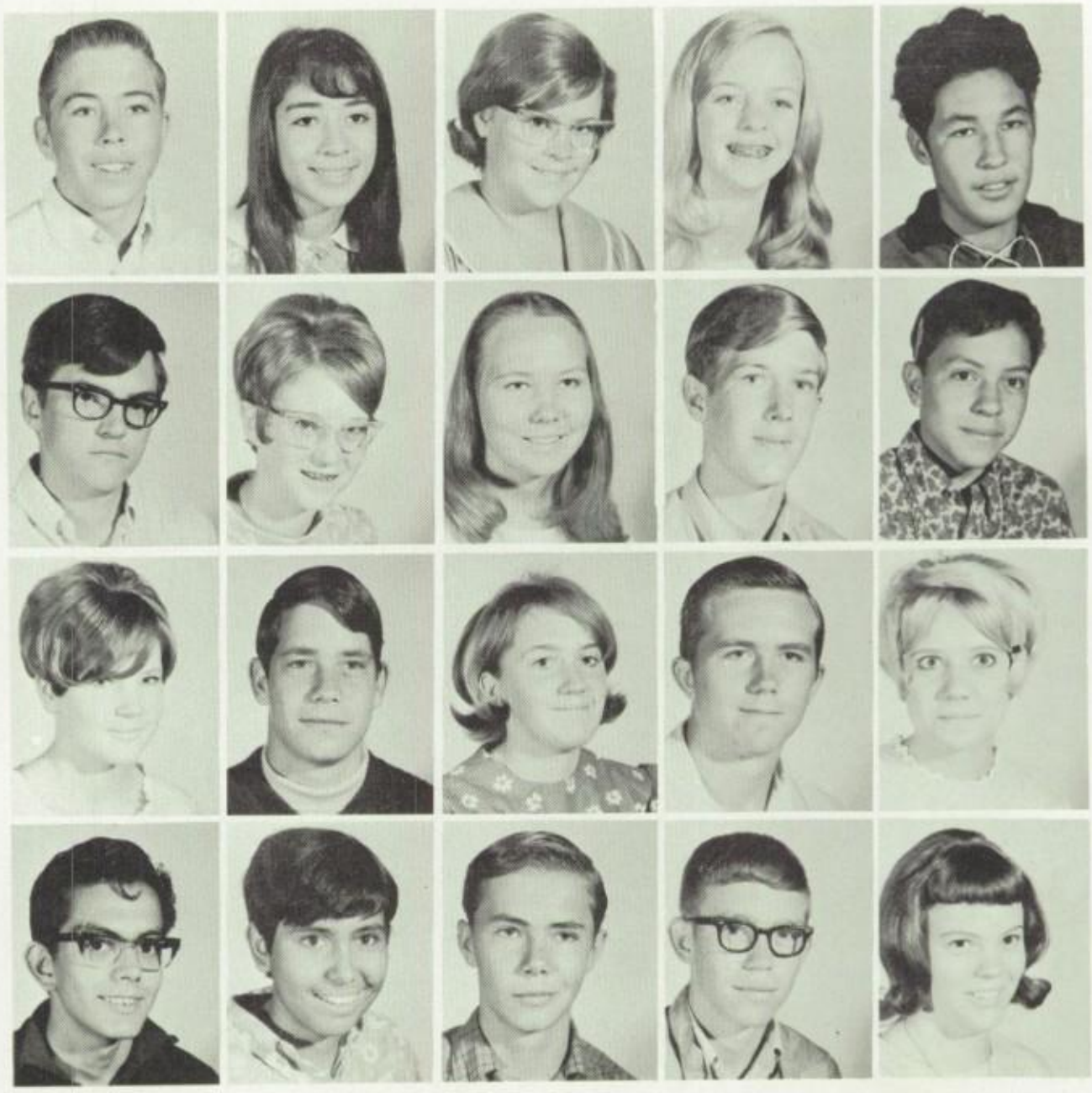

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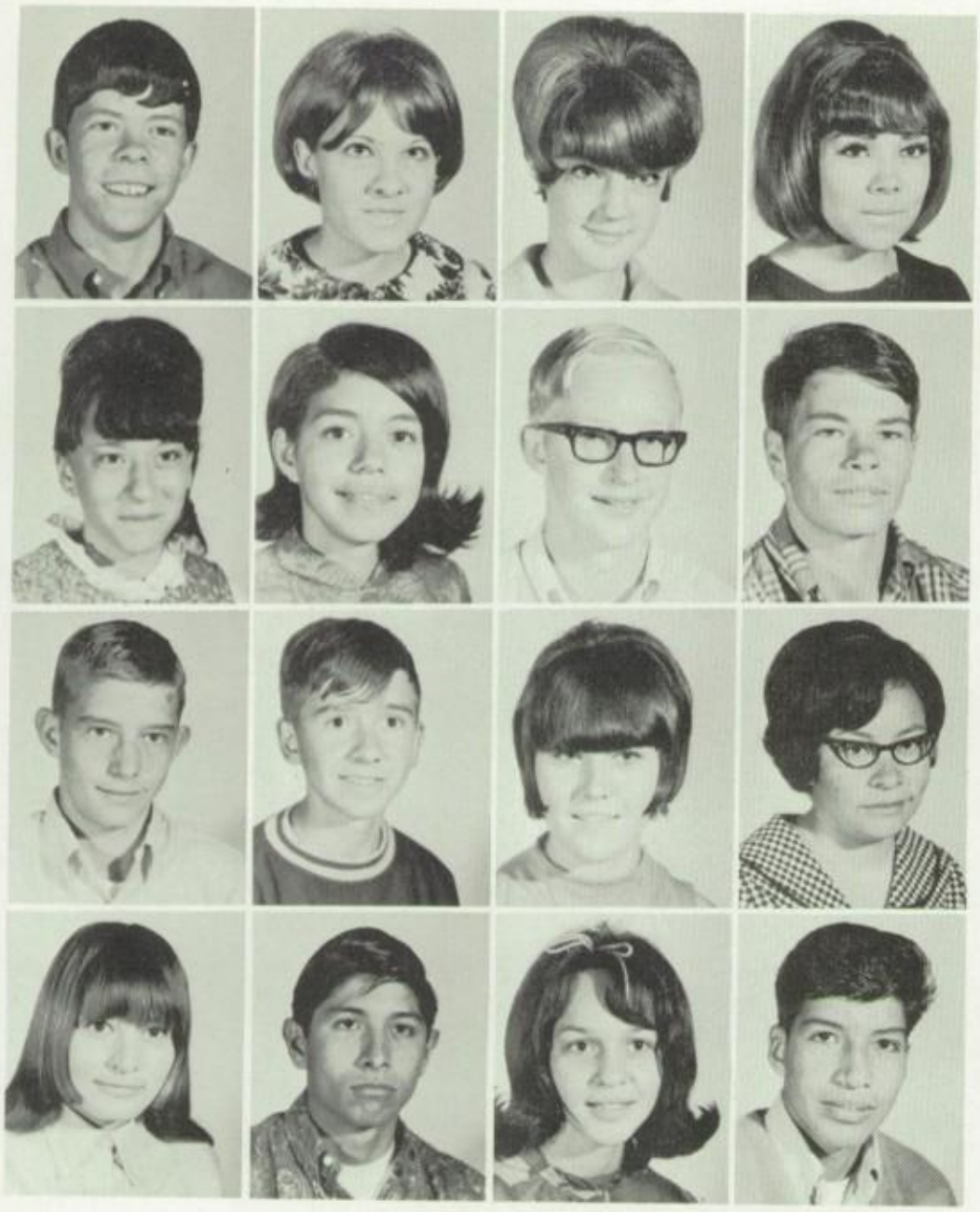

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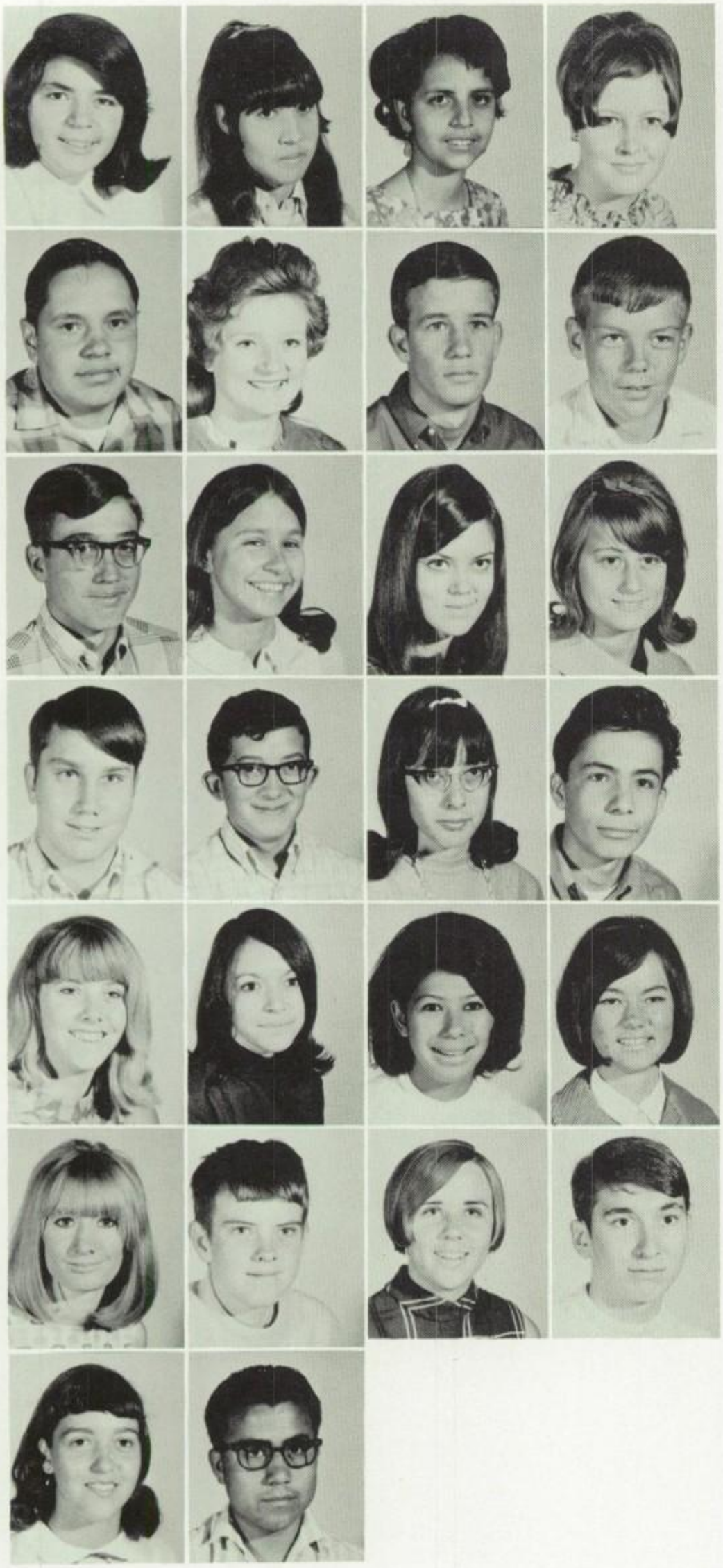

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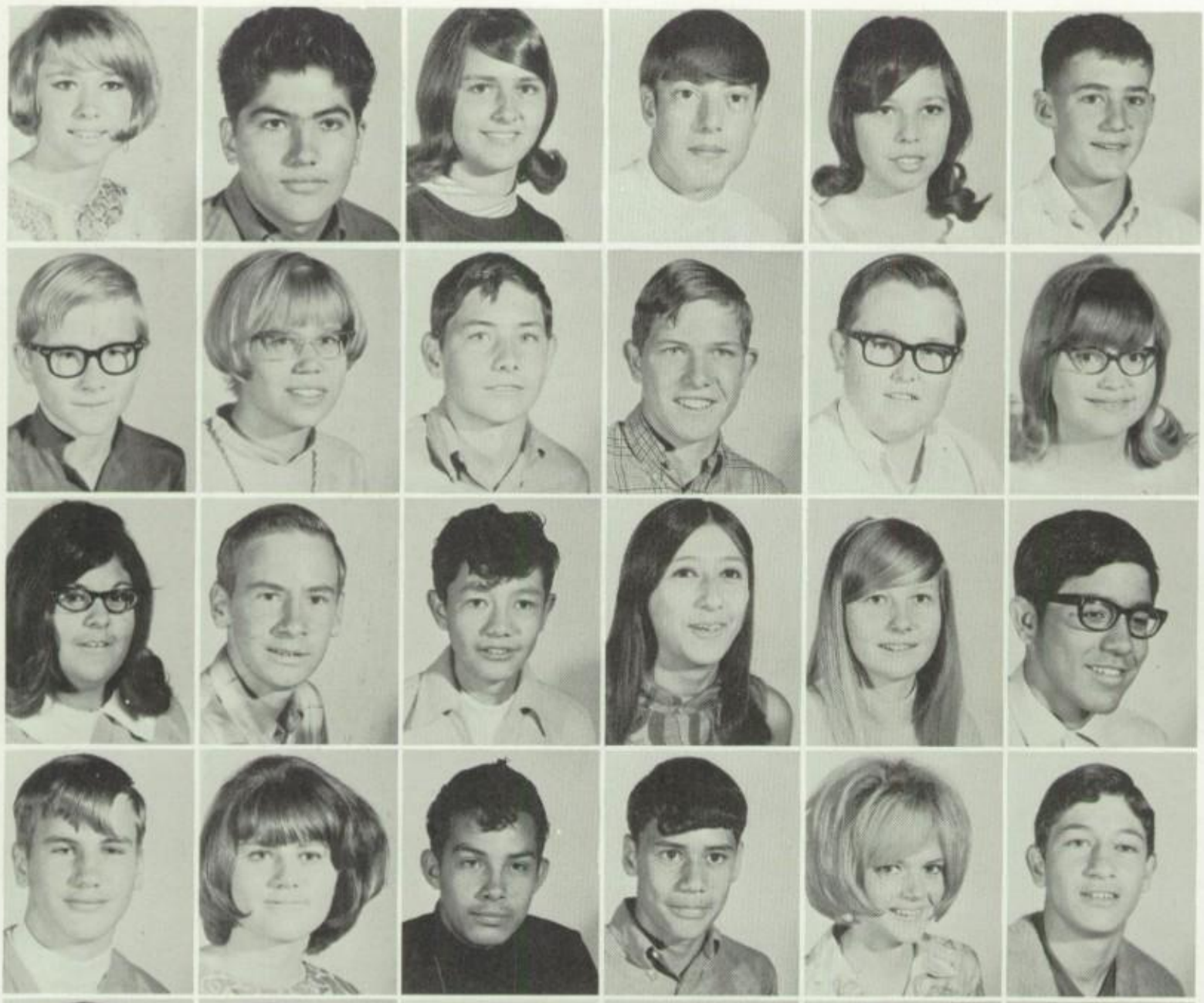

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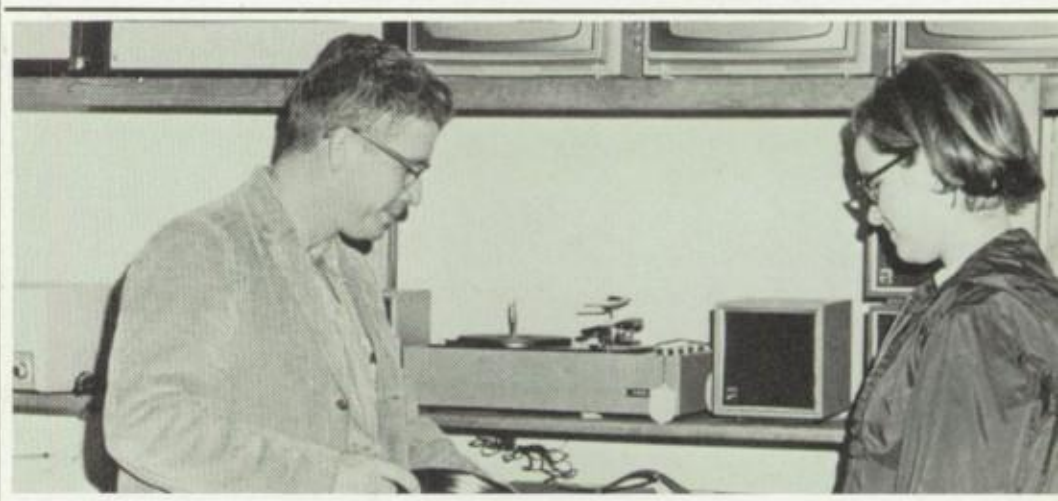

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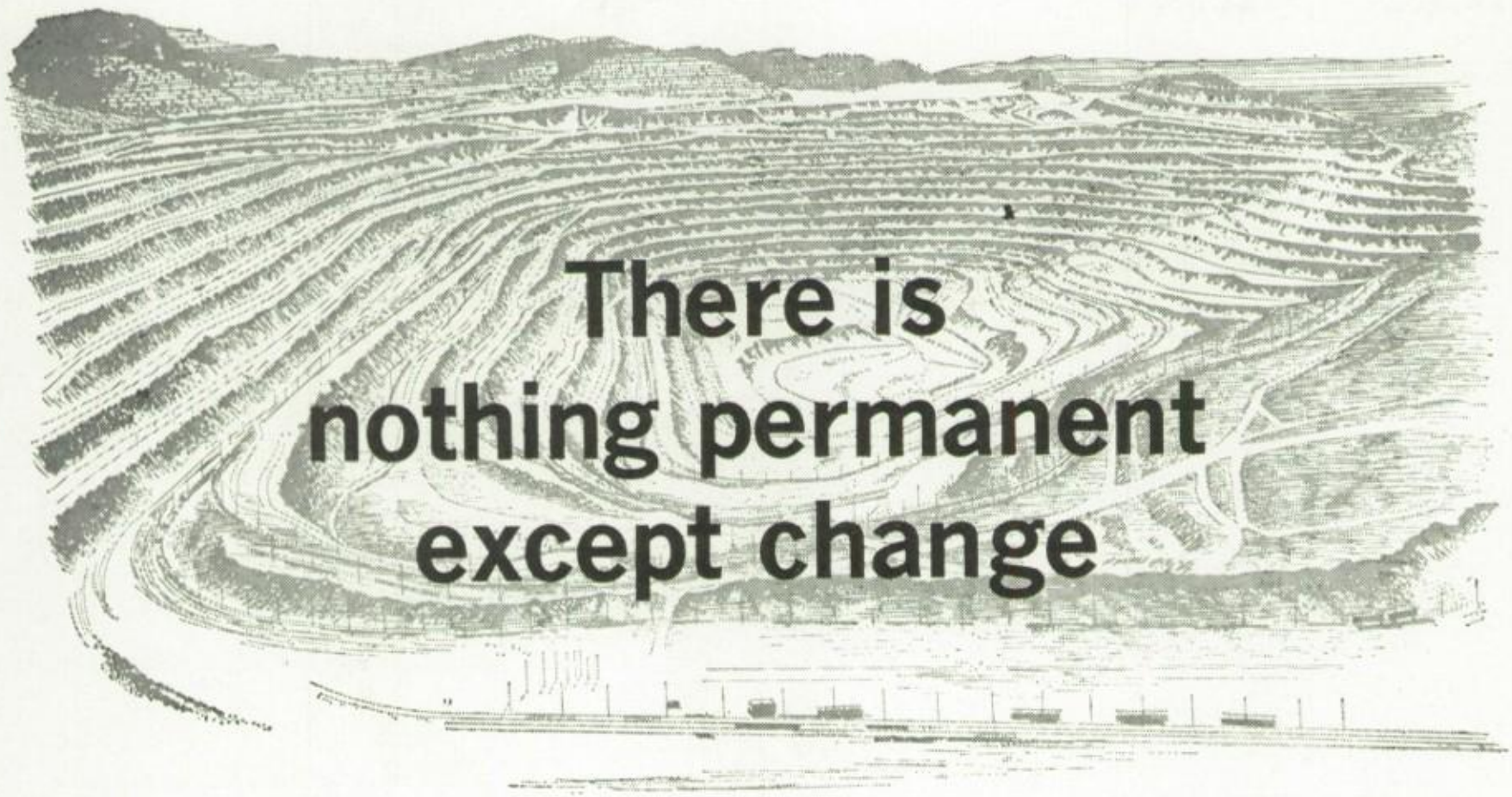

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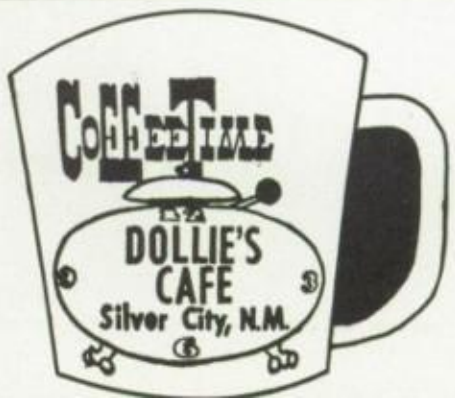

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